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BRITISH SHOOT DOWN 144 NAZI PLANES

BRITISH FORCES IN SOMALILAND RETIRE BEFORE ONSLAUGHT

Powerful Italian Army Takes Mountain Pass From Small Holding Force in Attempt to Reach the Capital—Prime Minister Tells House of Unsatisfactory News From the Colony

CAIRO, Egypt, Aug. 15 (P).—In the face of strong Italian forces, British defenders of Somaliland have withdrawn from their positions in a mountain pass thirty-five miles south of Berbera, the capital and chief port of Somaliland, British military authorities announced tonight.

Official reports said that two Italian divisions, about 25,000 men, supported by planes, artillery and mechanized forces, had wrenched Juguran Pass from a small British holding force. The Italians advanced from Hargeisa in one part of a triple-pronged drive.

FRESH TROOPS IN ATTACK
The Italians pressed fresh troops into attacks pressed from Zella along the coast southward to Berbera, and from Odwena and Hargeisa, southeast and southwest of the capital, respectively.

Authoritative quarters in London said the Italian advance along the Zella-Berbera coast road had been executed "more rapidly than was expected."

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MOBILIZATION BILL IS PASSED

United States Measure Goes Back to Senate for Minor Amendments

WASHINGTON, Aug. 15 (P).—The House of Representatives passed the National Guard mobilization bill by a 342-to-33 vote today, after crushing an effort to restrict the arming of militiamen and reserve officers to the continental United States and its possessions and territories.

The measure went back to the Senate for action on minor amendments. It found that Chamberlain's bill, which provided for the arming of reservists and reserve officers to the continental United States and its possessions and territories.

Usually reliable sources said they had been informed the British proposal has been transmitted to the White House and is under study there.

OFFER TO LEASE

They said it involved an offer by Great Britain to lease for ninety-nine years sites in British possessions in the Western Hemisphere that would be suitable for United States naval and air bases to protect the Panama Canal and to guard the United States against any invasion from the Atlantic. Britain was pictured as reluctant to give up sovereignty over any of its possessions.

As it stands, approved by both branches, the National Guard bill will exempt men with dependents, but other militiamen and reserves will be subject at the call of the President to a year's compulsory service anywhere in the Western Hemisphere, the American possessions and the Philippine Islands.

French Ship Now Classed As Canadian

MONTREAL, Aug. 15 (P).—A former French banana freighter passed to Canadian registry today as Commander C. J. Stuart, R.C.N.R., took command of her.

The ship was transferred to Canadian National Steamships after the Canadian firm paid off an amount estimated at \$4,000 owing to the crew in back wages.

Officials did not say what would happen to the sixteen French members of the ship's crew. Some of the men wish to join the Royal Canadian Navy, and others want to return to France.

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Decorates Daring Airmen



His Majesty recently held another open-air investiture at Buckingham Palace for the presentation of awards to British soldiers, airmen and seamen for feats of daring and courage. His Majesty is presenting the Distinguished Flying Cross and Bar to Flight-Lieut. Maurice Stephens.

Submarine Sinks Greek Cruiser in Harbor at Tinos

Unidentified Attacker Fires Three Torpedoes, Two Hitting Quay and Injuring Many Civilians—Feeling Runs High as Greek-Italian Tension Increases—Communications Cut

ATHENS, Greece, Aug. 15 (P).—The 2,110-ton Greek cruiser Helle was sent burning today to the bottom of the Aegean Sea—sunk, said the Government, by an unidentified submarine—and a few hours later telephone communication with Rome was cut off, a strict censorship was imposed on all out-going calls and Greek shipping was forbidden to leave port.

SHOOT AT MAN IN THE WATER

Germans Prevent Rescue of Own Airmen by British Seamen

LONDON, Aug. 15 (P).—How Nazi seaplanes may have gunned the crew of a British motor torpedo boat which went to the rescue of a German airman downed in the English Channel was told today in an Admiralty bulletin.

The motor torpedo boat put out when the German pilot was seen bailing out of his aircraft, the bulletin stated.

He was found wounded and entangled in his parachute. One crew member dived overboard to help him.

Then "three German seaplanes appeared and machine-gunned the motor torpedo boat and the man in the water. Three of the crew of the motor torpedo boat were wounded."

"In order to avoid further casualties, the motor torpedo boat re-emerged the rating from the water and got under way, being forced to leave the wounded German pilot to his fate," the bulletin said.

Five Men Killed in Crash of Canadian Air Force Seaplane

Machine Plunges Into Sea From Some Unknown Cause, After Circling Around Yacht at Entrance to Seymour Narrows

CAMPBELL RIVER, Aug. 15 (P).—The waters of Discovery Passage tonight hid the wreckage of a Royal Canadian Air Force plane which carried five men to death when it crashed into Seymour Narrows between Vancouver and Quadra Islands yesterday, a few miles from this Summer fishing resort.

In the plane were Squadron Leader R. C. Procter, of Edmonton; Flying Officer H. L. Gordon, of Regina; Flying Officer J. G. H. Desbriens, of Vancouver; Corporal R. G. Brown, R.C.A.F., Vancouver, and Captain G. H. Bourne, Royal Canadian Ordnance Corps, Ottawa.

Police boats and other craft have cruised repeatedly over the spot

From Europe Day by Day—

THE TIMES, London

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LONDON, Aug. 15 (By Cable).—While influences which seek to impose a belligerent policy on Spain are strong they should not be over-estimated, and Franco himself does not wait a war in spite of the tone on the part of the Spanish press, says The Times editorially today.

Unlike Mussolini, who by temperament is a gambler and adventurer, Franco is more cautious and far-seeing, and his aim now must be to keep peace and rebuild Spain. Mussolini, The Times says, wanted war for months, only being restrained from belligerency months ago by more prudent of his counsellors. On the other hand the Germans were effective, and won gratitude, but gratitude seems thin when the benefactor becomes too insistent in reminders and obligations.

Hitler has already cashed in heavily for civil war services, but the Spaniards feel the services do not give him first call on Spain's resources or the right to dictate their policy.

There is still hunger and distress in parts of Spain, and it is not pleasant to watch trainloads of food-stuffs being sent to Germany. Nazi bowing to Moscow also is a heavy handicap to propaganda in Spain.

These factors explain the growing independence of Franco to the axis powers and recent military appointments show a desire to eliminate the headhunts from getting in charge of the situation.

Spain won't abandon her aspirations toward Gibraltar and owes it to herself to keep them in public view. But her policy is too realistic to be diverted from present advantages by ambitions for the future.

The question of the blockade is more difficult. Franco knows Britain won't allow Spain to become a channel for supplies to Germany. The blockade is inconvenient, but not resented, and there will even be some co-operation in carrying it out provided the motive is well understood.

The Times Cairo correspondent says contrary to claims the Italian drive from Libya into Egypt has started, and it appears the British are more than holding their own. This is indicated by the patrol encountered thirty-five miles inside enemy territory.

Indeed, he says, as the days pass without an apparent move by the Italians, the belief increases that Italy will not start a large scale offensive.

TAKE CARE OF FIFTH COLUMN

Churchill Tells of Appointment of Special Committee For the Purpose

LONDON, Aug. 15 (P).—Prime Minister Churchill announced to the House of Commons today the appointment of a committee under Viscount Swinton to check fifth column activities—a disclosure that touched off a bitter debate—and warned the members the danger of invasion has not passed.

Mr. Churchill's statement to the House, in which he also outlined the withdrawal of a British force from a mountain position defending Berbera, capital of British Somaliland, was brief. Discussing a possible invasion, he added "We are much stronger than we were in May."

He promised to discuss the Eastern situation more fully next Tuesday. The House will adjourn next Thursday and reassemble September 5.

REFUSES DISCUSSION
The exchange between the members and Mr. Churchill was precipitated by the Prime Minister's refusal to discuss details of the Swinton committee's investigation of fifth column activities. He said the committee's activities were "not fitted for public discussion, least of all in time of war." The debate finally was stopped by a Speaker's ruling.

Members declared there was wide apprehension because Lord Swinton was selected chairman of the committee to cope with fifth columnists.

Lord Swinton was Air Secretary from 1935 to early 1938, and drew bitter criticism on the ground that he failed to rearm the nation adequately in the air.

Germans Meet Little Success for Toll Paid In Biggest Raids Yet

Flying Boat In New York After Ocean Crossing

NEW YORK, Aug. 15 (P).—The British flying boat Clare arrived here tonight on its second westward trans-Atlantic crossing, resuming war-interrupted mail and passenger service between Great Britain and the United States. The plane left England on Wednesday and made stops at Poynes, Elre, Botwood, Nhd, and Boucherville, Que. The Elre-to-Canada leg was flown in sixteen hours and thirty-four minutes.

NON-ARRIVAL CELEBRATED

Chairs Reserved for Hitler And Mussolini at London Party Empty

LONDON, Aug. 15 (P).—Hitler and Mussolini failed to occupy the high-backed chairs reserved for them at a gay tea daisant staged today by the Empire Service Men Overseas League "to celebrate the non-arrival of Hitler and Mussolini according to plan."

This was the day the dictators, according to the Nazi prophets, were to arrive in a conquered Britain, when a German governor was to have sat on the throne in Buckingham Palace. The tea daisant was one of the many unoccupied British observances of the occasion.

Lord and Lady Willington, former Governor-General of Canada, was telling the men at the tea how nice

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Score for Six Days Of Battle

Following is a compilation by The Canadian Press of German and British losses in the six days of heavy air warfare since August 8.

| | German | British |
|-----------|--------|---------|
| August 8 | 61 | 18 |
| August 9 | 65 | 29 |
| August 10 | 62 | 12 |
| August 11 | 78 | 11 |
| August 12 | 31 | 7 |
| August 13 | 144 | 27 |
| Totals | 441 | 104 |

LATE NEWS BULLETINS

TWENTY NAZIS DOWNED IN NIGHT ACTION
A SOUTHWEST TOWN IN ENGLAND, Aug. 15 (P).—Twenty German planes were shot down in one night over this city tonight, when thirty Spitfire and Hurricane defence planes attacked 200 Messerschmitt and Dornier bombers, German pilots who bailed out of their planes were brought in from all directions.

FRANCE WANTS BRITAIN TO EASE BLOCKADE
CLERMONT-FERRAND, France, Aug. 15 (P).—Foreign Minister Paul Baudouin said today that he was doing his utmost to obtain a British agreement to permit importation of food to France through the blockade, and that the British decision is pending. Baudouin said Germany had given France assurances that food and other supplies sent from abroad into the unoccupied part of France would not be removed. Accordingly, he said, he had made a new proposal to London.

UNITED STATES WEEDING OUT UNWANTED NAZI AGENTS
NEW YORK, Aug. 16 (P).—The New York Daily News says today that the "back up and leave" signs hang over the German Consulate in New York for "various Nazis" whose names have appeared in the press recently. Following up the announcement in Washington by Sumner Welles, Acting Secretary of State, that the case of Friedrich Reed, German diplomat recently transferred from Brazil to New York, is under consideration. The News says publicists give two other Germans, have "brought new headaches for the Reich."

SWITZERLAND HEARS PLANES CROSSING BASEL
BERNE, Switzerland, Aug. 16 (P).—Unidentified foreign airplanes were heard late last night and early today over Berne and Basel, and siren alarms sent residents running to shelter for the second time in three nights. In the earlier passage of foreign planes last Tuesday night and Wednesday morning, about thirty aircraft sped over the Jura Mountains and into Italy.

CAPTURED GERMAN PILOT WORE MANY MEDALS
LIVERPOOL, Aug. 15 (P).—A German bomber, piloted by a man who wore the Iron Cross and other medals, was brought down in Northwest England by British fighters. A farmer captured the pilot and four members of the crew. The plane apparently was returning from a raid on Wales when the British attacked.

Enemy Uses 1,000 Aircraft in Greatest Air Attack In History—Damage Results From Scottish Border to Land's End With Croydon Airport and Industrial Centres Hardest Hit

Defenders Use Secret Weapon: Night Raids Centre on Midlands

LONDON, Aug. 16 (CP).—Britain's air defenders brought down 144 Nazi raiders Thursday, the Air Ministry announced today, following the biggest air attack in history executed by an armada of more than 1,000 German planes which struck eight miles from the heart of London and caused damage from the Scottish border to Land's End.

Enemy planes came back after midnight over the Midlands and Northeastern and Southwestern England. Explosions were heard in the southwest and residents of one town there detected a continuous rumbling some thought might be naval shellfire.

The rattle of machine-gun fire was heard and flashes lit the sky as bombs fell in Northeastern England. Some whistling bombs were dropped. The pre-dawn raiders roared over the Midlands in small waves.

FIRES QUICKLY CONTROLLED

Incendiary as well as whistling high explosive bombs were dropped in the Midlands. Fires started in two neighboring districts, but they were quickly controlled and the damage was slight.

"Little success at high cost" were the words used by the Ministry of Home Security in summing up the day of fierce warfare in the skies.

In the last fury of the fighting, as dusk was falling, planes plunged in smoke-trailing death dives at a rate of one a minute. Downing of 144 raiders dwarfed previous figures for the successive assaults since last Sunday. Yesterday's fierce air battles overshadowed earlier mass raids and observers said they marked a new point in what they believed was a gradual building up to unlimited war in the sky—a stepping up of tempo in the first stage of the Battle of Britain.

CASUALTIES NOT DETERMINED
What Britain's losses would amount to actually in dead and wounded, splintered homes and smashed buildings remained to be determined. Plane losses for the day were fixed at twenty-seven.

London echoed with the banshee wail of alarm sirens as the Nazis came close about the great city, heart of the Empire. Dive bombers screamed down within a few hundred feet of the ground to dump tons of explosives at the Croydon Airport in the suburbs eight miles south of Charing Cross in mid-London.

Other raiders smashed at objectives down the Thames from London.

AIRPORT LITTLE DAMAGED

Joint Air Ministry and Ministry of Home Security announcements said that although one person was killed and many injured in homes and factories in the densely-settled section around Croydon, little damage was done to the airport itself.

Other reports of damage and casualties came from Hastings, on the southeast coast—landing place of the last invasion of England 1,000 years ago—from the naval base at Portland, towia of the southwest and coastal cities of the northeast, and from industrial Rochester. Known to have been bombed was the great Tyneside industrial and shipbuilding area on the east coast, near Newcastle.

IS MILITARY SECRET
British military men kept a tight-lipped silence about details of Britain's own "mystery weapon"—a plane trap, said to have played an "official and formidable" role in blocking the Nazi attacks.

The Press Association said the Continued on Page 3, Column 3

REVOLUTIONIST SHOT IN HIS CAR

Professor of Havana University Victim of Assassination—Students Are Arrested

HAVANA, Aug. 15 (P).—Dr. Ramiro Valdes Dausa, professor of Havana University and a well-known revolutionist, was killed tonight by men who pulled their car alongside his automobile and opened fire. Five bullets hit him.

Valdes Dausa was a prominent revolutionist in the struggle to overthrow the regime of the late President Gerardo Machado in 1933. The assassination occurred in up-town Havana, at Neptune and Mason Streets.

Two students were arrested, one gravely wounded. Another, who police said tried to escape from the assassin's car, fired several shots at two soldiers before they took him into custody.

A third occupant of the death car was unaccounted for.

Officers Recruiting For Militia Placed in Anomalous Situation

No Specific Instructions to Cease Taking On Men Have Yet Been Received Here, Despite Minister's Declaration in House of Commons

ALTHOUGH press dispatches emanating from official sources in Ottawa have stated repeatedly that August 15 was the deadline for recruiting for the Non-Permanent Active Militia, units mobilizing in Victoria have had no instructions from military headquarters that they are to cease taking on men.

All that militia officers know is that they were told to start recruiting some weeks ago and haven't been told to stop.

It was generally accepted that recruiting would end last night, because speaking in the House of Commons on July 29, the Minister of Defence said: "Registration under the National Registration Act commences August 19, and to make room for those who will be called for training, it has been decided that recruiting will be suspended on August 15."

OTTAWA SILENT

Other than that general announcement, no specific instructions have been given. Even at National Defence headquarters in Ottawa no official statement was issued yesterday on the ending of voluntary enlistment.

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It was to have representatives at the party from all over the Empire, a messenger wearing the uniform of the "Spitfire Cable Company" entered with two cables.

One purportedly came from Hitler who sent word that he had started toward Britain according to plan, but had been "interrupted by a hurricane." (One of Britain's famous fighter planes). The other, signed "Mussolini," contained regrets he was unable to sit beside Lord Willington but it was impossible "because all Italian sailings had been cancelled owing to secret manoeuvres."

DISAPPOINTMENT FOR NAZIS

A spokesman at a press conference told reporters it must be "rather a disappointment" for Germans that they are not here.

"As time passes and winter approaches there will be other disappointments awaiting them," he prompted.

Editorial writers noted the day with a warning that the dictators may yet make an attempt to fulfil the engagement even if behind schedule.

The Evening Standard said Britons may resolve "on this day of 'disappointments' to prove to the world that the 'vigor and inspiration' in free men can conquer the 'pseudo-revolutionary impetus of nazism'."

BAGS FIRST NAZI PLANE

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clouds in a dog fight with the Canadian on the Nazi's tail.

RIDDLED BY BURST

The German rolled and cork-screwed over the sky trying to shake the Canadian, but McNab held him in his sights and the German stalled for a moment, his plane was riddled by a short burst of machine-gun fire.

It took another burst, after some more manoeuvring, to send the raider crashing into a marshland—the first victim of the fumes of an airman from the R.C.A.F.

Other members of McNab's formation will get their "feel" of combat fighting with the Royal Air Force before they are sent into the skies together.

IS VETERAN PILOT

Sgt. Ldr. McNab went overseas a few months ago as commander of No. 1 Fighter Squadron of the Royal Canadian Air Force.

A veteran pilot, he joined the air force about twelve years ago on his graduation in engineering from the University of Saskatchewan, Saskatoon. He was stationed at Camp Borden, Trenton, and later went to England on an exchange of officers with the Royal Air Force and served there for two years.

On the outbreak of war he was stationed at Halifax as a reserve, then was appointed to the command of No. 1 Squadron, which he led overseas as part of Canada's contribution to the support of Great Britain at the time of the German attack through Holland and Belgium.

DESTROYED TWO BOMBERS

A Toronto-born pilot in the Royal Air Force, whose identity was not disclosed, accounted for two of eight bombers which his auxiliary Spitfire squadron shot down off the Yorkshire coast. The squadron suffered no casualties.

The Air Ministry gave no details of the Toronto pilot's part in this fight other than to say that he "destroyed two of the eight enemy bombers."

Australians and New Zealanders also saw action in various engagements.

One New Zealand pilot with eight Nazi planes already to his credit got his ninth over the Channel when he sent a Junkers spinning down in flames. He was forced to bail out for the first time in his life when his Hurricane was damaged by machine gun fire, but he returned to his airfield uninjured.

An Australian, aged twenty-three, in action for the second time, was forced down by a burst hydraulic pipe line. He returned to the air within three minutes and downed two Heinkels and damaged another. Another Australian got a Junkers and a Messerschmitt.

Grandstand Burns Before the Show

PENDLETON, Ore. Aug. 15 (AP).—The grandstand on Pendleton's famed roundup grounds burned to-night, less than a month before the opening of the rodeo. Loss was unofficially estimated at \$10,000 to \$12,000.

Six thousand people gathered to watch the spectacular blaze.

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Sailor From the Prairie



Many of the Youths Now Serving Canada on the Sea Were Drawn From Far Inland. The Bewhiskered Young Sailor Shown Emerging From Depths of an Atlantic Coast Mine Sweeper, Hails From Regina.

Esquimalt Red Cross Plan Fete

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The beautiful gardens of 1182 Old Esquimalt Road, kindly lent for the purpose by Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Pooley, are to be the scene next Wednesday afternoon of a garden party under the auspices of the Esquimalt unit of the Red Cross Society.

A capable committee under the general chairmanship of Miss Alice Pooley has been working for the last few weeks on the details, and all manner of popular diversions will be supplied for the guests. Mrs. R. H. Pooley herself is undertaking the tea arrangements, with the assistance of other ladies; the Catholic Women's League will have charge of the ice cream and soft drinks; Mrs. J. T. Jones and I.O.G.E. workers will have the candy stall, and Mrs. Stringer and Mrs. Wallace will supervise the table of home cooking.

The Esquimalt Community Club, under the chairmanship of Mrs. R. McVie, will have a miscellaneous stall, and among the peripatetic attractions will be the Lady of a Thousand Pockets, in charge of Mrs. E. V. Finlay and Miss Gloria Wilson, and the Old Cocker Woman, impersonated by Mrs. W. Finmore.

Those who seek more active form of entertainment may play clock solf, which will be in charge of Mrs. Charles Wilson; or one of the games which will be in charge of Mrs. J. Quinn and Mrs. Fox. Miss Pooley is arranging for fortune-telling; Mrs. J. Nelson Gibson will have a table of cut flowers and fruit, and Mrs. Kennedy and Mrs. Gurling will have the prize-ticket table.

EMBARGO RELAXED

WINNIPEG, Aug. 15 (CP).—The embargo against the shipment of wheat to lakehead ports was slightly relaxed today with the announcement by the Board of Grain Commissioners that the Canadian Pacific Railway would each be permitted to ship daily 200 cars of grain, including wheat to the lakehead.

DIVIDING CONTROL OF BRITISH PORT

United States and Japanese Share Sector in Shanghai International Settlement

SHANGHAI, Aug. 16 (AP).—Defence commanders of the Shanghai International Zone issued a communique this morning confirming that the British force sector is being divided between United States and Japanese forces.

The Americans, in addition to the central district, embracing the Shanghai commercial and financial zone, will guard the West Hongkew area, north of Soochow Creek and stretching to the settlement's northern boundary.

It is considered noteworthy that this section includes the special district port, which thus remains outside the domination of the Wang Ching-wei Japanese-sponsored "Central Chinese Government."

The Japanese get the Extra-Settlement Western District, previously controlled by the British.

One Killed and Many Injured in Road Collision

BIRCH HILLS, Sask., Aug. 15 (CP).—Wright Sanderson, thirty-eight, Fort la Corne Indian, was killed and seven other Indians, including his wife and daughter, were seriously injured in a highway accident ten miles northeast of here today. Birch Hills is seventeen miles east of Prince Albert.

About twelve other members of the Fort la Corne tribe received bruises and cuts in the accident, which involved a truck from the Indian Agency and another machine from a Prince Albert soft drink factory.

GOOD MEALS SCARCE

"My husband never drinks, and spends all his evenings at home," said Mrs. Maggie to her neighbor. "Why, he even gave up his club to stay at home with me."

"Does he smoke?"

"Only in moderation. He likes a good cigar after he's had a good supper, but I don't suppose he smokes two cigars a month."

Brides Presented With Lovely Gifts

Mrs. Wilfred Bomford, formerly Miss Kathleen Gibbs, and Mrs. Ralph Youd, formerly Miss Margaret Williams, who were married recently at a "double wedding" ceremony, were the guests of honor on Wednesday afternoon at a miscellaneous shower held in the Shawinigan United Church, under the joint auspices of the United Church W.A. and the Shawinigan Women's Institute.

The gifts were arranged in separate baskets, prettily decorated alike in pink and white, and were presented to the brides by Mrs. A. Hallet, president of the W.A. Pink and white streamers, dahlias and gladioli were used in the decorations. Contests were enjoyed, prizes being won by Mrs. G. Orr, Mrs. R. Youd and Mrs. E. W. Bomford. Refreshments were served by the ladies of both organizations.

Those present included Mrs. E. W. Bomford, Mrs. W. Williams, Miss Elsie Youd, Mr. T. Moore, Mrs. F. E. EdDels, Mrs. A. Layton, Mrs. W. E. Batchelor, Mrs. G. Orr, Mrs. C. Page, Mrs. R. Lamb, Mrs. A. Hallet, Mrs. A. Garmitt, Mrs. C. G. Jones, Mrs. R. Ross, Miss Joan Alexander, Mrs. J. G. Morley, Miss Joyce Morley, Mrs. W. B. Brooke, Mrs. W. Maitland, Mrs. A. Sutton, Mrs. A. I. Dyson and Mrs. E. G. Gibson.

Army Head to Visit Victoria

Major-General Hon. W. A. Griesbach, distinguished soldier and Parliamentarian, who is the recently appointed inspector-general of the army for Western Canada, is expected to visit Victoria at an early date, it was learned unofficially yesterday.

Major-General Griesbach will inspect military establishments and troops in this area.

NAVAL OFFICERS NOW IN ENGLAND

OTTAWA, Aug. 15 (CP).—Arrival of a draft of Royal Canadian Naval Volunteer Reserve officers in England was announced today by naval services headquarters.

The officers will receive intensive training at Royal Naval establishments in England and will eventually serve on ships of the Royal Navy or the Royal Canadian Navy.

The officers included: Lieutenants R. J. Browne, C. J. S. Ferrand, F. R. Hall, E. H. Maguire, J. E. Taylor, C. G. Trotter, R. H. Wilson and Sub-Lieutenants R. M. Bell and H. C. K. Housler, all of Vancouver; Lieutenant A. C. Campbell, of Victoria; Lieutenant James A. Bryant, of Prince Rupert; Sub-Lieutenant T. I. Punnett, of Duncan; Lieutenant J. B. Shaw, of Royal Oak; Lieutenant Frank Spencer and Sub-Lieutenant D. W. Lewis, of Calgary; Lieutenant Francis R. Pike, of Edmonton.

OFF THEY GO!

"Even novices feel exhilarated when they astride a horse for the first time," says a riding school master. Sometimes, indeed, they're awfully bucked.

MAY NOT BE TRUE BUT IS ENJOYED

Story Says Gestapo Agents Fly With Raiders to Make Sure Nazis Try Hard

A SOUTHEAST COAST TOWN, Eng., Aug. 15 (CP).—No one is swearing that it is true, but Britons are chuckling over the story credited to the crew of a downed German bomber that Heinrich Himmler is packing Gestapo agents in raiding planes just to be sure Nazi flyers try hard.

When a raider splashed into the sea yesterday, three of the crew were observed pushing a fourth off their rubber boat every time he tried to climb in, the story goes.

Rescuing Britons asked the trio why they tried to drown the fourth and were told: "Because he belongs to the Gestapo. We had to bring him with us. Now we want to get rid of him. We don't want him."

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ESCAPES FROM GERMANY

LONDON, Aug. 15 (CP).—Wing-Commander Basil Edward Embry, first Royal Air Force officer to have two bars added to a Distinguished Service Order has escaped from a German prison camp and reached England safely. Embry, thirty-eight, told his father, Rev. J. Embry, that he was unable to give details of the escape.

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Nazi Raiders Dive From Skies Onto Croydon, Thickly-Settled Suburb of London—Bombs Take Toll of Civilians—Three Bombers Shot Down by British Airmen

By DREW MIDDLETON

CROYDON, England, Aug. 15 (AP).—Screaming down in a slanting dive from three miles away, twenty to thirty big black-crossed Nazi bombers poured tons of explosives on to Croydon Airport and its thick surrounding belt of homes and factories today from a point-blank range of only a few hundred feet.

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Houses were smashed to pulp. Explosions thundered in the factory district. Smoke clouds puffed up into the battle-streaked sky. Children fled from their play and grown-ups screamed encouragement to busy British pilots and gunners who could not hear above the din.

The attack brought the war of

Fifty Volunteers Still Needed as Registrars Here

FIFTY more volunteer deputies are still needed here to assist in the national registration next week. It was announced last night, when an appeal was made for volunteers to fill the list. Nearly 600 deputies have been sworn in during the past three days. It was emphasized that deputies must be able to read distinctly and write clearly. People who can devote a few hours a day to the work will be welcomed, for the deputies will work in shifts.

worked feverishly amid the wreckage to save those they could reach. The bus was wrecked. Its engine was ripped out, the driver's cabin was smashed by the explosive, which dug a crater ten yards in diameter in the road.

One woman said she counted ten heavy bomb explosions. Another said:

"They even machine-gunned us to the shelter in our back garden. How we got there God alone knows." One big bomb just missed the works near the airport and houses nearby were wrecked.

"A COOL LOT"

Auxiliary firemen sped through debris-littered streets—"a cool lot," one observer commented—putting out fires as methodically as the thundering destruction about them was only "atmosphere" for make-believe raid practice.

Damage to the airport itself was not believed to be as extensive as had been feared during the first fury of the attack.

Debris scattered the ground for several hundred yards in some places, however, to show there were hits.

Incendiary bombs touched off several fires.

British defence planes were in the air within seconds after the raiders streaked down as if launched from nowhere in the cloud-streaked sky.

At least three of the Nazi planes were seen shot down in the first several minutes of furious fighting. With the warning roar of the first explosion women darted into the streets to carry their children to shelter.

One mother herded her brood of seven before her like a scene from a Mother Goose book.

NARROW ESCAPES

One bomb ripped to pieces beside a shelter where four little boys had just fled, helping a crippled playmate along with them, from a game of hide-and-seek. They reached safety only by moments.

Another person in a shelter was pulled out of the wreckage apparently severely injured.

Dozens of residents in the hard-hit zone had no time to reach the public shelters. Some darted into cellars and others hurried themselves flat on the floor. Many were cut and bruised by glass and splinter showers.

One elderly man told me an explosion alongside his home sent up a shower of earth that rattled ominously against the walls and "it gave him a fair old turn, it did."

The woman who said she was machine-gunned told of dashing for the garden yard shelter with her two-month-old baby in her arms. She said she heard the onrush strike and the whistle of falling bombs.

Another witness said the raiders dropped "screaming bombs" as well as explosives and added:

"They scared me, all right. I felt weak in the knees until I heard the hum of our fighter motors. Then, by George, I walked right out in the yard—bomb splinters and all—and shouted like a schoolboy."

LITTLE SUCCESS FOR TOLL PAID

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trap was Britain's "latest hush-hush defence weapon"—a strict military secret at least for the present.

There were reports at least one German bomber had been caught in the trap. However, the official breakdown of the listing of enemy planes bagged showed:

Brought down by British fighter planes, 130; by anti-aircraft, eleven; by infantry soldiers (apparently with rifle fire), two; by a Lewis machine gun crew, one.

The toll in the daybreak-to-dusk battles brought to 708 the number of German planes shot out of the sky since the start of mass raids last June 18.

LOSE FOUR TO ONE

It was estimated that in the week ending today the Nazis have lost 441 planes to Britain's 104.

Every indication was the hour of the great test was approaching.

The Royal Air Force, defending this kingdom from such a blow as never was struck before, loosed every turret gun in its fighter force and crippled airplanes fell steadily on English soil.

The German tactic was simple. While German fighters took on the British Hurricane and Spitfire patrols miles above the ground—from 12,000 to 15,000 feet up—the Nazi bombers sneaked across the coast in close formation.

In the midst of this great thrust at the heart of an Empire—the Homeland which for 3,000 years has been inviolate from invasion—the Air Ministry announced British bombers had been at work in Germany, too.

ATTACKS ON GERMANY

Strong forces, it was stated, attacked oil storage plants, refineries, railroads and power plants near

Bordeaux and Cologne in Nazi-occupied Northern France. Three oil storage and refining plants were left in flames, and an unannounced number of airplanes in France likewise were hit. Four British planes were missing.

The objectives of today's unprecedented raid were everything that Britain has and must have to keep on fighting: shipping ports, munitions and industrial plants, and, above all, airports.

There was no minimizing the possibility that an attempt at invasion by troops was near at hand—householders and fishermen along the coast silently pulled in and hid their little boats lest they fall into enemy hands. But the people kept calm and waited.

JOINT REPORT ISSUED

The Air Ministry and Ministry of Home Security issued the following bulletin early today:

"Further reports of enemy attacks yesterday evening show that little success was achieved at a high cost.

"In the Croydon area a number of buildings were damaged, including a scent factory and fires were caused which were soon brought under control. On the airport itself no serious damage was done, but a number of people in the neighborhood received injuries and one death is reported.

"At Hastings bombs fell in a residential area. One person was killed and several injured.

"At Rochester industrial premises were damaged and a number of houses destroyed, but no fatal injuries are reported.

"On the northeast coast several persons were killed and a number injured. At Seaham Harbor a train was hit by splinters and several houses were destroyed. Damage was done to private property at several points in Yorkshire but only one case of fatal injury is reported from this area.

"In the southwest an attack on Portland was ineffective but a few civilian casualties were caused, none of which was fatal.

"Reports received up to midnight show that 14 enemy aircraft were destroyed during the day. Twenty-seven of our fighters were lost but eight of the pilots are safe."

LAST RAID OF THE DAY

An Air Ministry news service statement issued early this morning said:

"The last mass raid of the day was directed against south coast harbors and airfields. It began at about 6 o'clock and it is estimated that the enemy used at least 200 aircraft in this action.

"Spitfire and Hurricane pilots relentlessly harassed the Nazi raiders and shot down bombers and fighters at the rate of one a minute.

"A West of England Hurricane squadron destroyed not less than nineteen enemy aircraft—fourteen Messerschmitts 110 and five Junkers 87 dive bombers, as well as three more which were probably destroyed and three damaged.

"Only one pilot of this squadron is missing.

"A Spitfire squadron from this area shot down two bombers and three fighters. Another Spitfire squadron destroyed three Messerschmitt 110s and two fighters."

Under-Secretary For Air Arrives On Ottawa Visit

OTTAWA, Aug. 15 (CP).—Captain Harold Balfour, Under-Secretary for Air in the British Government, arrived in Ottawa tonight and conferred at once with Air Minister C. G. Power, James S. Duncan deputy minister for air, Sir Gerald Campbell, British High Commissioner, and other Canadian officials.

Captain Balfour will have further discussions with Canadian officials tomorrow in connection with progress and developments in the British Commonwealth Air Training Plan. He crossed the Atlantic by air and flew here from Montreal.

Killed in Crash of Service Aircraft



CAPTAIN J. H. BOURNE

OF Ottawa, a Royal Canadian Ordnance Corps officer attached to the Air Force, who was one of five killed when an RCAF machine crashed in the water in Discovery Passage, near Seymour Narrows, on Wednesday afternoon. Captain Bourne, who was well known in Victoria, having been stationed here before his transfer to Ottawa, was on an inspection tour when the fatality occurred.

BRITISH FORCES IN SOMALILAND RETIRE

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Italian losses in the Jugaraan fighting were severe and the battle is continuing at the new British position, authorities said. British casualties, however, were described as "not heavy and considerably less than those of the Italians."

UNSATISFACTORY NEWS

LONDON, Aug. 15 (CP).—Prime Minister Churchill today told the House of Commons that "I have some unsatisfactory news about Somaliland."

He said: "A small British holding force which was occupying the Jugaraan position northeast of Hargeisa has been driven back by greatly superior Italian forces amounting to two divisions, supported by armored vehicles and considerable artillery."

"As operations are still in progress, I cannot say any more, but I shall be dealing generally with the Eastern situation in my statement next week."

Trying to Free Montreal Mayor

MONTREAL, Aug. 15 (CP).—Leonard Trepanier, Montreal lawyer, said tonight he and a "few lawyers" were planning to present a writ of habeas corpus before the Quebec Superior Court in an effort to free Mayor Camille Houde of Montreal. Houde is in an internment camp.

Trepanier said the writ would be served on "the persons who have the person of Mr. Houde in custody."

Mayor Houde was interned August 5 after he had issued a statement opposing national registration.

MOTOR DEFECT IS EXPLAINED

Defence Department Says No Faulty Transport Cars Shipped Overseas

OTTAWA, Aug. 15 (CP).—Defective metal caused the breakdown of axles on motor transports manufactured in Canada for the overseas forces, but the fault was discovered and remedied and new parts provided before any cars had been assembled in England, according to a Defence Department statement issued today.

The statement was issued in reply to a dispatch from London, dated yesterday, from Allen H. Bull, special correspondent of The Associated Southern Newspapers, describing alleged weaknesses in Canadian mechanical equipment and claiming that web equipment for the men was too small in size.

MATERIAL FAULTY

First break in the motor equipment, especially designed for army use, was on a car that had been driven 14,000 miles, the department statement said. Examination by Dominion Government metallurgists revealed that material in the axle was faulty.

Within nine days from the break a new axle had been designed. In twelve days it was in production and in thirty-one days the replacements were in England, it was stated.

QUICKLY REMEDIED

"This weakness, if it may be so called, was discovered in Canada, not in England," the statement said. "It was rectified so quickly that not one of the cars shipped to England was assembled and issued to the troops with the original model axle installed. The change to the new model was made before any of the vehicles were issued."

With respect to the web equipment, the department said this was made in two sizes, the smallest being adjustable up to forty inches. No complaint had been received from headquarters in England.

Other comments by Mr. Bull are being investigated and a further statement may be issued, "if warranted."

FIVE MEN KILLED IN PLANE CRASH

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close to the luxury yacht Southern Cross, owned by the Swedish industrialist, Axel Wenner-Gren, which is on a cruise of British Columbia waters.

A boat was put out from the Southern Cross, which figured in the rescue of passengers from the torpedoed British liner Athenia. Other boats also sped to the scene, but the plane had disappeared beneath the surface.

The plane, a transport craft, was on a routine flight from Allford Bay, in the Queen Charlotte Islands, toward the RCAF Station at Patricia Bay.

TAKES DIVE SUDDENLY

One of the logger witnesses said the plane made a big circle over the yacht Southern Cross. When it resumed its southward course the big machine suddenly went into a dive and struck with terrific force. When the spray cleared away, nothing could be seen.

"At this time a fishing boat was coming up from the South," the logger said. "It was quite close to the scene of the crash. The Southern Cross put a boat over and turned back herself, but the fishing boat got there first. The men on the boat got a line on something and struggled to pull it up. It broke the surface and it was a pontoon."

"There was no other wreckage. The body of the plane didn't come to the top after it struck. I guess those fellows in the cabin never had a chance," he added.

WELL-KNOWN HERE

Captain J. H. Bourne, one of the victims of the crash, was well known in Victoria. An officer of the Royal Canadian Ordnance Corps, he was attached to the RCAF, at Ottawa, and was engaged on an inspection tour. He had made his temporary headquarters at Victoria. Mrs. Bourne accompanied him here, staying with her daughter, Mrs. W. G. Scott, 152 Government Street.

A son, Corporal C. H. Bourne, is with the Royal Canadian Air Force in this area, and another son, J. H. Bourne, is regimental quartermaster sergeant of the 13th "BC" Coast Brigade, R.C.A., Vancouver.

Captain Bourne left Victoria eighteen months ago on transfer to Ottawa, and had since been attached to the air force.

Squadron Leader Richard Campbell "Bill" Proctor, of Edmonton, joined the air force in 1936, after graduating from the University of Alberta with a bachelor of science degree in mining and metallurgy. He was a brother of Lieutenant Robert Proctor, former Alberta amateur golf champion, now overseas with the Canadian Active Service Force. He spent twenty months in England taking a special course in instruction and returned to Canada to become an instructor at Trenton, Ont., the day before war was declared. He was transferred recently to the Western Air Command at Victoria.

HAS WIFE HERE

Flying Officer J. G. H. Desbiens came to Vancouver from Eastern Canada with the RCAF six years ago. He was transferred to Patricia Bay recently. He is survived by his wife and two small daughters, living near Patricia Bay.

Flying Officer H. L. Gordon was a graduate of Trinity College, Toronto, and of Royal Military College, Kingston. An accountant, he left his position as head of the Montreal branch of a large firm at the outbreak of war to volunteer with the RCAF. After training at St. Thomas, Ont., he was transferred to the Pacific Coast this spring. Surviving are his wife, his parents and two children, Peter, aged sixteen months, and a baby boy, aged thirteen days.

Corporal Robert George Brown, twenty-six, was one of six Saskatchewan men chosen to attend the Coronation of the King and Queen. He joined the RCAF in 1937, qualified as an air mechanic and left several months ago with a bomber squadron. He was able to fly. His wife is living at the Chateaux, Deep Cove.

Corporal Brown's brother, Jack Brown, twenty-four, a year-old air-craftman in charge of an RCAF teletype machine here stood by the machine on Wednesday and watched it tick off the first news of the crash and the death of his brother. The two youths, with a third brother,

Roderick, joined the air force at Regina soon after the outbreak of war. Roderick is stationed there, the other two having been transferred to this coast.

SENT TO JAIL FOR INSULTING BRAZIL

RIO DE JANEIRO, Aug. 15 (AP).—A Brazilian tribunal of national security sentenced Ernest Puchies, a German, to fifteen months' imprisonment tonight on a charge of insulting Brazil.

Puchies last May publicly expressed the belief that Germany would win the war and thereafter take over Brazil as a colony.

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FOOD IN ENEMY COUNTRIES

Economists and others are busily discussing the European food situation, a question which is naturally one of the first importance on account of its bearing upon the probable length of the war. The findings of such an expert authority as Mr. John Black, consulting economist in the United States Department of Agriculture, should help to form a tolerably clear picture of the food conditions in most of the countries of Europe. In a recent essay he has supplied detailed figures relative to the chief foodstuffs in store or in course of production in European lands, exclusive of Russia, which is an unknown quantity and not likely to figure largely in the present situation.

Wheat, it appears, is about seven hundred millions of bushels short. In the Balkans and Germany, crops are below average, while Italy and Spain will have enough and France nearly enough for next year's needs. Rye, barley, and oats have been reduced somewhat, but not so severely as wheat. Europe, although it has more cattle, hogs and sheep than all North America, normally imports large quantities of beef, mutton, butter, cheese, and lard. Hogs and beef cattle are now being slaughtered more rapidly than usual. Each country grows almost exactly the amount of potatoes it consumes. There is a deficiency of fats and oils.

All this adds up to show that Europe may possibly manage to endure until the 1941 crop is harvested. To achieve this, live-stock must be slaughtered freely, wheat and rye must be reserved for bread uses, and large quantities of barley, oats and corn devoted to direct human use. It will be a close squeeze, however, even assuming a much more equal distribution of the present food supplies than has prevailed in the past; obviously a very large assumption, as soldiers are pretty sure to fare better than industrial workers. In Mr. Black's opinion the total situation is that an effectively blockaded European continent will mean that a great number of people in some areas will suffer from want of food.

The economists are not the only people in America that are talking about the European food situation. The friends of Germany in the United States have learned a new tactical method. They no longer dwell with pride upon Germany's invincible economic self-sufficiency. Their favorite topic now is the evil plight of the Danes, Dutch, Belgians and French, owing to the scarcity of food, brought about of course, not by the invading Germans, but by the British blockade. The story is that if Great Britain can be induced to allow food to enter Europe, the Germans are prepared to give all kinds of undertakings that it will reach the hungry and distressed populations and will not be appropriated to the use of the German army.

The proposal that Great Britain should relax the severity of the blockade, thus laying aside one of her most effective weapons, is an ingenious one. There are difficulties, however. One is that Germany has an impressive record of broken pledges, and it would be extremely difficult to devise an engagement that she would consider binding. Another is that the Americans are themselves arming in all haste, to meet the danger of German aggression on this continent. They know that the British Fleet is their first line of defence, and that it would be dangerous in the extreme to reduce the effectiveness of the blockade.

GREAT BRITAIN'S DEFENCES

A correspondent gives a few glimpses on the character of Great Britain's coastal defences. There are pill-boxes, tank traps, wire, "and all the other things which the Germans will be met in abundance at vulnerable points." One sector, and this is only one of several, is described as "honeycombed with sandbagged strong points, anti-aircraft pits, and all kinds of improvised obstacles to a landing. Through skillfully placed loopholes the entire beach and a considerable distance out to sea can be covered by enfilade fire from every type of automatic weapon and the humble rifle. Crossfire is the keynote of the first line of land defences. No matter where he seeks to gain a foothold the enemy must pass through successive belts of machine-gun bullets right up to the formidable wiring."

The troops holding the first line of coastal defence are those who fought in France and Flanders, those who were evacuated from Dunkerque. Among them are the men who covered the retreat of the British Expeditionary Force after the surrender of the Belgians, and who did so well that the German refrained from launching a single attack by land. These coastal defences are apart from the defence of the R.A.F., which will meet any attempt by the enemy from the air to blast the defenders out of their positions. They are apart, too, from the Royal Navy, which keeps ceaseless watch and ward along the British coasts, and which continues to pursue its lawful occasions despite submarine, air bomber and mine.

PRESS AND CENSORSHIP

It is not only in Canada, but in Great Britain and Australia as well, that the newspapers have come into conflict with the nature of censorship imposed in wartime. In all these lands the experience has been that there have been cases where news is being withheld, the publication of which would not, by any stretch of the imagination, be of use to the enemy. Moreover, there is a complaint that the newspapers have to go to indirect sources for news that should come directly to them from responsible Ministers of the Governments concerned. The press does not like go-betweeners who issue statements, even when such statements are officially sanctioned.

A Government wants the collaboration of

the newspapers it should seek it directly, not through the medium of liaison officers. The press resents having to deal with underlings. It resents, too, any governmental effort to use censorship as an excuse for official propaganda. This attitude has been put in a nutshell in the concluding words of a recent leader in The Times, London, which are: "The newspapers ask no more than that the Ministry of Information shall resist the temptation to become itself a superfluous organ of publicity at the public expense, and that it shall guarantee the issue of official news without favor to any one of the institutions whose business it is to report and to publish the day's events." To this might be added that the news is expected, by both press and public, when it is news, and not when it is daily old.

MR. R. B. HANSON'S LEADERSHIP

Mr. R. B. Hanson, the Conservative leader in Parliament, made a good record for himself, and incidentally for his party, in the session which has now been adjourned. New to the task, he set a high standard in debate, displayed the closest attention to his duties, and gave every indication that he has qualities of leadership that should be made available to an even greater degree in this time of crisis. He was fair in all his criticism of the Government, careful in his choice of language, and discretion and temperance marked all his utterances. There was evidence, indeed, in his conduct of the Conservative Opposition, that he reassured those principles from which some Conservative politicians have been departing in recent years, and because of which the party has been losing support and prestige in the country. Mr. Hanson has at least done something to restore that support and that prestige by the course he has pursued. It may yet be said of him that he has rededicated the Conservative party to the traditions it won over a long course of years. He has proved that he is equipped for the task of leadership which has been temporarily entrusted to him. Because of the record he has achieved in the House of Commons, The Gazette, of Montreal, says of him that "he has won the respect of all parties and has inspired the Conservative group with a new confidence and a new hope."

CHILDHOOD'S VOICE

It is a mistaken notion that all of England's children desire to come to Canada, or to go as evacuees to other parts of the Empire or the United States, to escape the horrors of war. That is not the case. British newspapers have been ascertaining the children's own point of view. One letter sent by a parent to The Times, London, from his boy, aged eleven, reads:

"I am writing to beg you not to let me go to Canada. I suppose you know that we are probably going? A. Because I don't want to leave England in time of war. Prejudice apart, if it had been peace time I should have opened my mind to it. B. Because I should be very homesick—I am feeling likewise now. C. Because it would be kinder to let me be killed with you, if such happened (which is quite unlikely), than to allow me to drift to strangers and finish my happy childhood in a contrary fashion. D. I would not see you for an indefinite time, perhaps never again. Letters would simply redouble my homesickness. Those are my reasons, and I hope that you will take them into consideration. I can do anything myself, but I implore you to reason. I am not asking to live in London. I am merely asking not to leave the country. P.S. I would rather be bombed to fragments than leave England."

PARTISAN CONDUCT OF WAR

The partisan policy pursued by the Prime Minister in face of the gravest crisis that ever confronted Canada is indefensible, but loyal Canadians will carry on in a war effort worthy of a great people in spite of the narrow vision of the Government Leader. Mr. King is surrounded by several Ministers who are working energetically to insure the defence of Canada and ultimate victory for British arms. Events in the not distant future will prove how unwise and unjust is the policy which denies representation in the Government to one-half of the population, which entirely ignores labor and sets absolute powers in the name of one party.—The Globe and Mail, Toronto.

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 7:00 p.m., Thursday, August 15, 1940.

SYNOPSIS OF WEATHER CONDITIONS
Pressure continues high on the Pacific and low over the Rocky Mountain States and in Western Alaska. Light showers are reported on the North Coast, but in all other parts of British Columbia, and also in the Prairie Provinces, the weather has been fair, with moderate temperatures.

PRECIPITATION AND TEMPERATURES
(Precipitation for twelve hours to 5:00 p.m.; temperatures for twenty-four hours.)

| | Precipitation | Min. | Max. |
|---------------|---------------|------|------|
| Victoria | — | 52 | 67 |
| Nanaimo | — | 55 | 78 |
| Vancouver | — | 51 | 69 |
| Kamloops | — | 51 | 80 |
| Prince George | — | 52 | 66 |
| Estevan Point | — | 53 | 63 |
| Langara | 0.1 | 49 | 60 |
| Allyn | — | 36 | 58 |
| Dawson | — | 35 | 74 |
| Seattle | — | 54 | 79 |
| Portland | — | 50 | 74 |
| San Francisco | — | 49 | 67 |
| Spokane | — | 48 | 63 |
| Penticton | — | 48 | — |
| Vernon | — | 46 | — |
| Kelowna | — | 50 | 78 |
| Nelson | — | 45 | 81 |
| Kaslo | — | 44 | — |
| Cranbrook | — | 35 | 75 |
| Calgary | — | 41 | 61 |
| Edmonton | — | 46 | 73 |
| Swift Current | — | 46 | 76 |
| Regina | — | 54 | 70 |
| Prince Albert | — | 63 | 89 |
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5:00 P.M. WEATHER REPORTS

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| Victoria—Barometer, 30.11; wind, SW, 5 miles; clear. | |
| Vancouver—Barometer, 30.09; wind, W, 10 miles; fair. | |
| Kamloops—Barometer, 29.97; wind, E, 2 miles; fair. | |
| Prince George—Barometer, 30.09; wind, SW, 5 miles; clear. | |
| Estevan Point—Barometer, 30.21; wind, SE, 2 miles; cloudy. | |
| Langara—Barometer, 30.18; calm; raining. | |
| Portland—Barometer, 30.16; wind, NW, 21 miles; clear. | |
| Tatoosh—Barometer, 30.14; wind, SW, 5 miles; clear. | |
| Portland—Barometer, 30.02; wind, NW, 15 miles; clear. | |
| Seattle—Barometer, 30.08; wind, NW, 15 miles; fair. | |
| San Francisco—Barometer, 29.90; wind, SW, 27 miles; clear. | |

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BY THE EDITORIAL STAFF

Registration Echo

A kindly old soul strolled into the city clerk's office and timidly asked, "Can you tell me where I vote, please, or whatever it is they are going to do?" . . . Bill, the Broad Street barber, ambled into a drug store and asked for two "shillings" worth of rat poison. The druggist asked him what he wanted it for. "To poison rats, of course," Willie replied. "This is dangerous stuff. Are you sure you know how to use it?" the druggist queried. Willie answered that he was quite capable of using the poison properly. "Do you want to take it with you?" the druggist wanted to know. In disgust, the barber retorted, "No, I will send the rats in for it!" . . . "So you want a new car?" our tobacco friend snorted at his charming wife. "You must think that new cars grow on trees," smiling sweetly, she replied, "I read somewhere that they come from plants!"—G.B.

Glancing Over Sport

It's Canada vs. the United States in today's eighteen-hole final for the grand championship of the Seniors' Northwest Golf Association at the Colwood course. Dr. J. P. Loudon, from Yakima, will match strokes against Victoria's Ben Schwegers for the title won last year by Jack Ballinger, Seattle veteran. Loudon is playing in the tournament for the first time, while Schwegers won the first time he played back in 1937. After walking off with the medal honors on Monday with a neat 74, the American physician wasn't, according to tradition, expected to survive the match play tests day after day for it's against that old golf adage "the medalist rarely survives match play." Dr. Loudon has a good chance today to push this ancient golf phrase into the deeper bunker on the course. It is a seniors' tournament through against the ex-citicholder. Here's hoping that the best man may win. . . . That lady caddy at her house is very popular and she knows plenty about this backfiring business. George, the chief steward informs me. . . . Never have I seen a seniors' tournament run off so smoothly in all the years that I have been pushing a typewriter for a living. The series thank the officials for the co-operation tendered. . . . Last night most of the veterans attending the meet gathered at the Union Club for the annual dinner and get-together. It was a merry party as long as it lasted and everybody had a good time, to say the least. . . . We finish up today with the finals and hope that all will be back with us next year at the Oak Bay links.—J.D.

Tides at Victoria

Time of tide (Pacific Standard Time), at Victoria, B.C., for the month of August, 1940.

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The time used in Pacific Standard Time for the month of August, 1940, is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The time used in the Province of British Columbia is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The time used in the Province of British Columbia is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight.

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific Standard Time), at Victoria, B.C., for the month of August, 1940.

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To find depth of water on the sill at the Esquimalt Dock at any tide, add 30 feet to the height of high water as above given.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET
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Meteorological Office, Connaught House, Victoria, B.C.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

From The Daily Colonist of August 16, 1890:

Going North—The steamer Queen is due here today and will start on her northern trip to the land of glaciers and sublime scenery tomorrow morning. She will be joined by the Raymond Whitcomb party who have been waiting here for her for the last couple of days. During their stay here they have taken count of much that is interesting, but have by no means tired of Victoria's beauties. All of the party are loud in their praises of this spot.

Mount Royal Mills—The interior appearance of the Mount Royal Mills is something of a definite shape now. The machinery in the new building is nearly all in place, while the old building is altogether finished. The office will be in the latter structure, and will be very comfortable as well as pleasantly fitted up. In addition to this it will have the advantage of being away from the noise and whirl of the machinery.

Brewery for Victoria—According to an Ottawa dispatch, a resident of Victoria has applied to the Minister of Justice to establish a brewery in this city.

SPEAKER SAYS WAR BIOLOGICAL

Dr. I. M. Cowan, Assistant Director of Museum, Addresses Rotarians

"Until such time as we dispose of the egomaniacs of Europe who offer prizes for fecundity, we shall continue to have trouble here," said Dr. I. M. Cowan, assistant director of the Provincial Museum, at the weekly Rotary Club luncheon in the Empress Hotel yesterday.

Speaking on the subject "Health Primeval," Biologist Cowan indicated that troubles abroad were in no small part due to the attempts of the human race to go contrary to nature's inclinations. "It is the inability of the human race to keep pace with science, thereby overcrowding the world's habitable areas in a manner not in accord with the laws of nature, and out of political step with possibilities made available by the rapid advances of medical and biological science today."

Dr. Cowan said that in spite of the frequency with which it is claimed, man would not be healthier by reverting to conditions similar to that of the wild life in the forest.

To illustrate his point, he quoted a staggering list of diseases of deer, which he used as an example. To show his meaning with reference to overcrowding habitable areas, Dr. Cowan mentioned the ten-year plague cycle, which thinned out the rabbit population to permit of continuance of the breed.

GUEST AT LUNCHEON

Guest at the luncheon was Charles Bent, charter member of the Los Angeles Rotary Club, who complimented the Rotarians on their climate, financial status as a Dominion, and their fortitude with regard to the war.

Ralph E. Snider introduced a new member, Frank Horn, to the club and during the luncheon Frank Snider was complimented by President Yardley on the forty-fifth anniversary of his wedding yesterday.

James H. Beatty told the club of the plans for the forthcoming inter-city club meeting with the Vancouver Rotarians, on September 10 in Vancouver. Plans call for sailing from Sidney by ferry on the Tuesday morning, returning the same night.

Rev. Dr. W. J. Sippell read the rules and regulations of the forthcoming registration to the Rotarians during the meeting, shortly before G. Hamilton Harman introduced a soldier visitor, Private Watson.

FAIR TO EXHIBIT MURAL DISPLAY

One Dominion and Three Provincial Features for Exhibition Here

Four Government displays, one Dominion and three provincial, have been secured for the seventy-ninth annual Fair of the B.C. Agricultural Association to be held at the Willows from September 7 to 14 inclusive.

Among the Provincial Government displays will be a portion of the display housed in the British Columbia Building at the San Francisco Exposition on Treasure Island last year.

This exhibit will comprise a portion of the murals that formed the background for the main exhibit and which drew widespread attention from the visitors to the British Columbia Building.

These vigorous paintings are the work of three young British Columbians, and depict the industrial and recreational life of the Province, not as it was, nor as the artists conceive it might be in the remote future, but as it is today. Soft pastels have been used and the murals blend beautifully with the general scheme. Outdoor life, fishing, logging, hunting, mountaineering, logging, lumbering, mining and farming are shown in vigorous and arresting tableaux.

Other displays by the Provincial Government will include agricultural products, and the Department of Education's work in the schools. The Dominion Government exhibit also will be largely agricultural.

Willie—Daddy, are flies flies because they fly?

Father—I suppose so.

Willie—Are flies flies because they fly?

Father—Sure. What of it?

Willie—I told teacher bees are bees because they be.

Tramcars Are Asset in Saving Petrol

The tramcars of Blackpool have been able to maintain for the public better transport in the war period than would have been possible by motor buses on the same route. This is shown by a statement of the transport manager (Mr. Walter Luff) to The Gazette and Herald.

Estimating that the tramcars carry about 70,000,000 passengers in a year, the transport manager said that since war broke out, the Blackpool tramcars have carried 50,000,000 people. A statement of the transport manager (Mr. Walter Luff) to The Gazette and Herald.

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MARINE and TRANSPORTATION

ADDITION TO
NAVAL MIGHTH.M.C.S. Agassiz Christened
At Launching Ceremony Yesterday

A WEST COAST CANADIAN PORT AUG 15 (CP)—His Majesty's Canadian Ship Agassiz slid down the ways at this West Coast shipyard today, another all-Canadian contribution to the Empire's war on the seas.

The ship, a trim Corvette-type naval vessel, was christened by Mrs. G. C. Jones. As she smacked a ribbon-bound bottle of champagne against its steel side, workmen knocked the blocks from under the vessel and it slid gently into the water, amid the scream of ships' whistles, plant sirens and the cheers of a large crowd.

GIVEN BLESSING

In addition to a group of naval, military and civic leaders invited to the affair, a crowd of several hundred people flocked through the gates, most of them wives or relatives of workmen who helped build her. Scores more eased down at the ceremonies from house tops and roofs of nearby buildings.

The ship was given the Blessing of the Anglican and Roman Catholic Churches, by gowned dignitaries of the two churches, who stood on the platform under the British flag draped over her bow.

Special guests at the launching were W. A. Jones, reeve of Kent, in which municipality is included the town of Agassiz, and Mrs. Jones.

GUESTS PRESENT

Others attending the ceremonies included Hon. Ian Mackenzie, Minister of Health and Pensions; Engineer Captain G. L. Stephens; Commander A. H. Reed; Lieut. Commander Charles Hudson and Mrs. Hudson; Major A. M. Bell; Mr. Howard Green, M.P.; Commander C. Brown; Commander T. Greenwood; Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Lewis, New Westminster, B.C.; Miss D. Marpole; Dr. and Mrs. G. F.

Naval Officer to
Be Rewarded for
Valor in Norway

A recent supplement to The London Gazette contains the following announcement:

"The King has given orders for the following appointment for courage and resource in operations on the Norwegian coast: Companion of the Distinguished Service Order, Captain C. P. Champness, R.N. (retired)."

CHEAP OUTINGS
PROVE POPULARMore Excursions by Land
And Water Offered by
Canadian Pacific

The Canadian Pacific is providing numerous opportunities for cheap outings this season. Today and tomorrow the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway will carry week-end passengers to all Up-Island points at bargain rates, while for next week two water excursions are being advertised and should prove popular. One will be a cruise among the Gulf Islands and the other will be an all-day outing to Vancouver.

VISITING HERE

The yacht Yankee Clipper arrived here yesterday and moored alongside the Caneway Landing. Aboard her were a number of Sea Scouts and Y.M.C.A. boys from Orcas Island. Among the boys was a group from White Plains, New York, in charge of George Goodfellow, secretary of the White Plains Y.M.C.A. The Yankee Clipper, in charge of Captain Hank Medar, regularly plies between Seattle and Victoria, and comes to Victoria frequently.

ES ROUTE NORTH
The diesel cruiser Gryphon arrived in the harbor yesterday from Seattle, with her owner, Paul Pigott, president of the Pacific Coast Foundry Company, and a party of guests aboard. The Gryphon will cruise in Northern British Columbia and Alaska waters after leaving Victoria.

Railroad Orders
Large Amount of
Train Equipment

An order for fifty-one units of light-weight streamlined passenger train cars, costing \$3,500,000 has been placed with the Pullman Standard Car & Manufacturing Company by the Southern Pacific Company for delivery early in 1941.

The new passenger cars will go into the pool of light-weight equipment for use throughout the system lines, including trains between Portland and San Francisco. It was announced.

In addition to this equipment,

Skippers Swallow Anchors



CAPTAIN L. D. Douglas (top, left) has exchanged his command of the big Canadian Pacific liner, Empress of Japan, for a life of retirement in Vancouver. Fishing, always a favorite hobby, will take up a lot of Captain Douglas' spare time from now on. His friends in the C.P.R. service presented him with a fishing outfit as a farewell present; and J. E. McMullen, C.P.R. general solicitor, is now presenting a salmon rod and tackle which the

Southern Pacific has placed orders for twenty new streamlined passenger locomotives at a cost of \$3,500,000 and new freight equipment costing \$7,500,000.

Tug Removes Crew
From Waterlogged
Ferry Lake Tahoe

SEATTLE, Aug. 15 (CP)—The Puget Sound Tug Boat Company reported today the storm-battered ferry Lake Tahoe, under tow from San Francisco to Seattle, was in distress and partly waterlogged. A twenty-five mile north of Eureka, Calif. The tug company was standing by after taking off the ferry's crew of seven and cutting the tow line last night.

The tug company said the coast guard at Durka had been notified. The ferry Redwood Empire, undamaged by the storm, was proceeding up the Coast under tow of the tug Active.

REVIEWS POLISH
TROOPS IN SCOTLAND

SOMEWHERE IN SCOTLAND
Aug. 15 (CP)—On a golf course amid the Scottish hills, General Sikorski today reviewed 6,000 Polish troops and joined in a field mass celebrating the anniversary of the "miracle of the Vistula," in which Marshal Pilsudski's army flung back the Bolsheviks from the gates of Warsaw twenty years ago. General Sikorski was accompanied by Lord Hamilton, who represented the King.

CONTINUES TO
SHOW INCREASESalmon Pack Ahead of 1939
—Sockeye Accounting
For Biggest Gain

VANCOUVER, Aug. 15 (CP)—British Columbia's salmon pack for the 1940 season to date continues to show an increase over that of last year at a comparable date, according to figures issued here today by the Dominion supervisor of fisheries.

Total cases packed since opening of the season this year total 540,233, an increase of almost 14,000 cases over the total at the same time in 1939.

The sockeye pack accounted for the major part of the increase, 327,509 cases having been packed, according to the bulletin. Last year only 206,983 cases had been packed at this date.

FISHERMEN WERE
NOT REGISTEREDWell-Meaning Japanese Signing for
Deputy Registrar Commits
Breach of Regulations

STEVESTON, B.C., Aug. 15 (CP)—Mitsunobu Kuba, Canadian-born Japanese, was no longer deputy registrar for 400 Japanese fishermen here; his one-time assistant, N. Nuguichi, had no one to assist; forty Japanese fishermen were in a quandary, and registration officials of New Westminster riding were seeking a new deputy registrar.

It happened like this: Mr. Kuba, duly accredited deputy registrar, registered 200 of the fishermen, who wished to be away at the fishing grounds early next week. But he was assisted by well-meaning Mr. Nuguichi, neither Canadian-born nor naturalized. When registration officials examined the filled-in cards, they found that forty of them had been signed by Mr. Nuguichi, strictly against regulations.

Mr. Kuba resigned, Mr. Nuguichi has no job, the forty fishermen are not registered and the registration officials have it all to do over again.

Four Norwegians
Reach St. John's

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., Aug. 15 (CP)—Four Norwegians—three demobilized soldiers and a sailor—reached here today in an eighteen-foot boat after a hazardous crossing of the Atlantic from Norway.

The boat was equipped with an auxiliary engine but they were unable to beg or buy gasoline and had to use sail and oars. To guide them they had only a pilot's chart.

FLAG FLIES FROM
NELSON'S FLAGSHIP

PORTSMOUTH, Aug. 15 (CP)—The flag of the Commander-in-Chief still flutters from the mainmast of Nelson's old flagship, H.M.S. Victory. The famous ship, which the Germans claimed was damaged in an air raid on this naval base, has not been touched.

"The ship has taken some buffeting in her time and she came through all right Monday," an officer told reporters shown over the wooden veterans.

CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

NANAIMO, Aug. 15.—Al Davis, still actively engaged in his cigar manufacturing business which he has conducted for many years here, received many congratulations as he passed along Commercial Street today, his eighty-fourth birthday.

Flowers are the beautiful hieroglyphics of nature with which she indicates how much she loves us.

INSURANCE MEN
CONVENE HEREManagers of Penn Life Co.
Hold Convention Today
And Tomorrow

Over fifty members of the staff of the Penn Mutual Life Insurance Co. from Seattle, Portland and Spokane arrived in Victoria yesterday on the noon boat to attend the annual meeting and conference here under the chairmanship of President John A. Stephenson.

Holding two morning business sessions starting today, the insurance men will meet at a banquet tonight in the Empress Hotel, with entertainment during the afternoons of the two-day meeting.

The opening business session will be under the chairmanship of Joseph F. Grant, who is in charge of the western district of the firm, with headquarters in Seattle.

President members of the firm, in addition to President Stephenson and J. F. Grant, attending the regional meeting are Alex E. Patterson, vice-president; Wallis Boileau, Jr., Philadelphia, vice-president; Lewis Oswald, assistant to the vice-president; Philadelphia; L. J. Duncan, general agent at Spokane; and H. H. Person, general agent at Portland, Oregon.

Spiritualists
To Hold Rally
At Shawnigan

The third annual provincial conference of the British Columbia Council of the National Spiritualist Association of Canada, Incorporated, will be held at "Shawnigan," Shawnigan Lake, tomorrow at 4:30 p.m. There will be delegates from New Westminster, Nanaimo, Vancouver, Victoria and Puffin Harbor. Reports will be heard from the various churches, Psychological Research Society, camp and college. Election of officers for the coming year will take place.

Obituary

MacMILLAN—There passed away yesterday afternoon at Sooke Miss Elizabeth A. MacMillan, aged eighty-five years. Miss MacMillan was born in Hamilton, Ont., and had been a resident of Victoria and district for the last forty years. She is mourned by three sisters, Mrs. Margaret Murr, Sooke, with whom she resided, and two sisters in Harrison, Ont. The remains are resting at McCall Brothers' Funeral Home and funeral services will be held in Knox Presbyterian Church, Sooke, on Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Rev. Samuel Lundie will conduct the service, after which interment will be made in the family plot in Saseen Cemetery.

HOLMES—A large gathering of friends were present yesterday afternoon for the funeral of Emily Fanny Holmes. Rev. P. C. Hayman conducted the service, during which two hymns, "Abide With Me" and "Peace, Perfect Peace," were sung. The following acted as pallbearers: B. Barton, J. Nesbitt, W. Beauchamp and G. Gibney. Interment took place in the Royal Oak Burial Park. S. J. Curry & Son had charge of funeral arrangements.

RANDLE—The funeral of Miss Eliza Randle will be held from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel this afternoon at 2:30. Rev. J. R. Pife officiating, and interment will be made in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

STEWART—Funeral services for James Stewart will be held in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel this morning at 10:30, and interment will be in the Shady Creek Cemetery.

CLARK—A large gathering of friends attended the funeral service at the funeral of George Lewis Davies yesterday afternoon in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel. A wealth of beautiful floral offerings were pallbearers Gordon Aronson, Gordon Walsh, Clyde Savage, A. B. Velland, J. K. Collis and William F. Bond. The remains were laid at rest in Colwood Burial Park.

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W. Ramsay, provincial public works engineer here. The count was taken at the Mile 21 road camp, north of Revelstoke.

USING NEW ROAD

KAMLOOPS, Aug. 15 (CP)—Automobiles using the Big Bend Road, link between British Columbia and Alberta, during the forty-two-day period between opening of the road and August 11, totaled 11,093, according to figures released today by

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| 4:00 p.m. | 5:30 p.m. |
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|-------------------------|---------------|
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| 10:15 A.M. | 11:15 A.M. |
| 4:00 P.M. | 5:00 P.M. |
| 6:45 P.M. | 7:45 P.M. |
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French Camp Is Drawing to An End Soon

The French Camp at Shawinigan Lake has begun its sixth and last week of a very successful season. The programme for the final days of the 1940 camp, as announced by the director, Miss Dorothy M. Funder, will lead gradually to the climax this evening, when a banquet and theatrical entertainment will be given in the well-known Strathcona Lodge.

Beginning with an excellent performance of the "37 Sous de M. Montaudou," presented last Saturday evening under the skilled direction of Andre Freere, actor of note in Europe and America, the concluding activities of this year's camp are now in full swing. Monday evening, M. Paul Minaud, professor at the University of Minnesota and a member of the faculty of the Camp Francais, concluded his lectures on Unanimism in French literature. Professor Minaud discussed chiefly the work of Duhamel, having previously treated of Jules Romains.

Tuesday evening was celebrated with a bonfire and corn roast. French songs and games, and a moonlight dip in the warm waters of Shawinigan Lake. Wednesday night the camp had its version of "Information, Please." From among the campers was selected a board of experts who were confronted with every possible sort of question, ranging from linguistics to linguistics, and including queries about botany, music, literature, sports, fashions, and so on.

GIVES INFORMAL TALK

Last night, after dinner, Mme. Sanderson-Monin, Victoria, gave an informal talk on Yvette Guilbert. Tonight will be held the farewell banquet, with speeches and toasts, and announcement of plans for the return to Shawinigan Lake in 1941. Afterward, the dramatic group will present a theatrical programme, interspersed with musical selections. For this programme, a number of Victorians are expected to drive out to the camp.

MOSBY'S TONIC RELIEVES VANCOUVER MAN'S GASSY, UPSET STOMACH DISTRESS

Mr. Robinson, of Slocan St., Felt Weak and Worn Out—Couldn't Sleep Due to Stomach Gas—Bowels Very Irregular—Now He Describes How Mosby's Tonic Gave Him Relief

Sincere statements—from many parts of this general section—praising and endorsing MOSBY'S TONIC, continue to pour in daily to the Cunningham Drug Store, Port and Douglas Sts., Victoria, where this "New Mixture of Roots and Herbs and Other Splendid Medicinal Agents," is being introduced and explained to the local public by a Special Mosby's Tonic Representative, known as THE MOSBY TONIC MAN.

For instance, just a few days ago, the following Sincere Statement, describing what MOSBY'S TONIC can do in certain forms of suffering, was received from Mr. Spencer Robinson, of 4711 Slocan Street, Vancouver. Mr. Robinson is a Manufacturer's Agent and has lived in Vancouver 40 years. Read this well-known man's Grateful Statement, which follows:

Energy Low; Suffered After Every Meal

"About 2 years ago I began to suffer with attacks of gas bloating in my stomach," said Mr. Robinson, "until finally these spells would come more often, and I couldn't eat a meal without suffering. It seemed that just as soon as I ate my food it would turn sour almost immediately and form large quantities of gas inside of me. And oh! the pains from this gas. They are something only a stomach sufferer knows about. This gassy condition would keep up long after I went to bed at night, and it was simply impossible to get my proper sleep. By morning I would feel worse than I did when I went to bed the night before. My bowels were very irregular and I would often have to take laxatives."

Gets Splendid Relief and Praises Mosby's Tonic

"So you can see that I certainly was a suffering person, and the worst thing was that it looked like I couldn't get relief, as all the medicines I tried had failed me, but finally I found Mosby's Tonic. Now I have taken only two bottles, and I can hardly believe I am the same person. This medicine has a splendid action on my upset stomach right from the start. It cleared out the gas and bloating so that now I can eat my meals and

Saturday evening another group will present a series of parodies of persons at the camp. In keeping with true French tradition, all will laugh when they see themselves as others see them. Sunday noon will be held the weekly religious hour, with appropriate readings and music. The afternoon will witness the last dip in the lake, visits to spots which campers from all over the United States and Canada have come to love, exchanges of addresses and photographs, and plans for meeting again at various spots across the continent on New Year's Eve. On Monday, August 19, the camp will officially close for this year.

BASEBALL STANDINGS

NATIONAL LEAGUE

| | W | L | Pct |
|--------------|----|----|------|
| Cincinnati | 67 | 38 | .638 |
| Brooklyn | 63 | 44 | .589 |
| New York | 54 | 49 | .524 |
| Pittsburgh | 53 | 51 | .510 |
| Chicago | 55 | 55 | .500 |
| St. Louis | 51 | 52 | .493 |
| Boston | 42 | 64 | .396 |
| Philadelphia | 35 | 67 | .343 |

AMERICAN LEAGUE

| | W | L | Pct |
|--------------|----|----|------|
| Cleveland | 68 | 44 | .607 |
| Detroit | 66 | 46 | .589 |
| Proton | 59 | 52 | .529 |
| New York | 56 | 52 | .519 |
| Chicago | 55 | 52 | .514 |
| Washington | 49 | 61 | .445 |
| St. Louis | 46 | 68 | .404 |
| Philadelphia | 42 | 66 | .389 |

COAST LEAGUE

| | W | L | Pct |
|---------------|----|----|------|
| Seattle | 94 | 47 | .667 |
| Oakland | 78 | 64 | .549 |
| Los Angeles | 76 | 65 | .539 |
| San Diego | 71 | 70 | .504 |
| Sacramento | 70 | 72 | .493 |
| Hollywood | 69 | 72 | .489 |
| San Francisco | 62 | 79 | .440 |
| Portland | 45 | 95 | .319 |

"Daddy, I want to be an Arctic explorer."

"That's fine, my boy."

"But, daddy, I want to go into training at once."

"How so?"

"Well, I want a dollar a day for ice cream, so that I can get used to the cold."

Art School To Reopen Next Month

The Victoria School of Art, conducted under the auspices of the Department of Education, will reopen on Thursday, September 12, to enroll students and plan the courses of work for the coming school year.

The art school is located in the Kingston Street School, at the corner of Kingston and Oswego Streets one block beyond the Parliament Buildings and will be open for classes throughout the week with the exception of Saturday afternoon.

Life classes will be held on Monday, Wednesday and Friday afternoon, from 1:30 to 3:30, which are open to part-time students. A Saturday class from 10 a.m. to 12 noon will also be conducted for the benefit of high school, day school, or other students who cannot attend at any other time.

FULL-TIME COURSES

Full-time courses will be given to those desiring to obtain credits who propose to train for any of the branches of art professionally. The subjects are drawing, painting, design, commercial art, linoleum block printing. Part-time courses can also be arranged in these subjects.

The ceramics department will be in operation throughout the week from 9:30 a.m. until 3:30 p.m. daily, except Saturday. The pottery school is particularly well equipped with pottery wheels, gas kilns and other facilities for clay modeling, casting, mould-making, glazing and firing. Short courses can be arranged in this department, or the student can make it a major course.

Information can be obtained from the Victoria School of Art, phone G 3325, or from the principal, Mrs. Ina D. D. Uthoff, GSA, phone G 6161. Enrollments should be made as early as possible.

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NOVEL CONCERT IS PRESENTED

Variety Is Spice of Entertainment Sponsored by Canadian Scottish

It was Scottish night at Beacon Hill Park last evening when the First Battalion, the Canadian Scottish Regiment, through permission of Lieut.-Colonel J. R. Kingham, presented a lively variety entertainment before hundreds of Victorians and visitors to the city. At the conclusion of the programme, modern dancing was enjoyed until 11 o'clock.

Regimental Sergeant-Major S. M. Robertson, M.M., was master of ceremonies, and the programme was arranged by Sergeant Stanley James.

The First Battalion Pipe Band presented lively airs and other contributions to the entertainment were Miss Dorothy Parsons, Verna de Macedo and Enid Middleton and Privates Brimblecombe, T. Hoey, James McGrath and Sergeant James, vocal selections; Privates J. Haines and H. Roberts, monologues, and the Canucks, novelty instrumental trio. Miss Maquinn Daniels and Charles Hunt were the accompanists.

Piper A. McGeorge played for the eight-minute reel and Pipers A. J. and J. G. McMillan offered a duet.

An orchestra played the music for the dancing, which featured modern steps and dances.

The usual registration of visitors and drawing for war saving stamps was conducted by Alderman W. H. Davies and John Baxter.

FRANK MYLREA VICTOR IN EAST

TORONTO, Aug. 15 (CP)—Western Canada boxers scored four victories in five attempts in a card staged by the Royal Canadian Air Force here. Results of bouts in which Westerners contested:

George Bourque, Calgary, defeated Lloyd Richardson (home town unavailable).

Bill Evans, Regina, defeated C. Colborne, Toronto.

Frank Mylrea, Victoria, defeated Bert Such, Woodstock, Ont.

P. Marceau, North Bay, Ont., defeated D. Sutherland, Moose Jaw, Sask.

Owen Pickell, Vancouver, defeated Richard Pease, Madison, Wis.

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Support Move—In a letter to the

City Council, hearty approval of the Attorney-General's plans for the internal defence of British Columbia was voted by the city council of Port Coquitlam.

Frank Plunks—Two Siamese plunks grown together in perfect form were brought to the office yesterday by Mrs. G. C. Rigby, 1120 Richardson Street, from her own garden.

Grass Fire—The Oak Bay fire department answered a call at 3:45 p.m. yesterday to extinguish a grass fire at the corner of Cedar Hill Road and Cadboro Bay Road. No damage was sustained.

Cars Damaged—Automobiles driven by Alex Stevens, 311 Vincent Street, and Savoy Nelson, 1348 Port Street, sustained considerable damage yesterday afternoon when they collided at Government and Broughton Streets.

Is Remanded—Lorne Russell was remanded yesterday morning to the city police court until August 22 on a charge of stealing an automobile. Stuart Henderson, defence counsel, explained that several witnesses were at sea.

Sunday School Picnic—St. Barnabas' Sunday school annual picnic will be held at Mount Douglas Park tomorrow. All members, their relatives and friends who wish to attend, are asked to meet at the church at 1:15 p.m. Buses will leave at 1:30.

Four Fined—Three motorists were each fined \$250 in the city police court yesterday for parking over the hour limit. Another was fined \$25 for driving in a manner dangerous to the public at Yates Street and Fernwood Road.

Ward Seven Ratepayers—Ward Seven Ratepayers' Association of Spanish held their regular monthly meeting in Tillikum School recently. Matters of vital interest to all ratepayers will be discussed at the next meeting, which will be on September 13.

Drivers Fined—In Spanish police court yesterday, a motorist was fined \$25 for driving his automobile in a manner dangerous to the public. Two others were fined \$5 each for failing to produce their drivers' licenses, while a fourth was assessed the same amount for not halting his machine at a stop sign.

Assessment Roll—The 1941 assessment roll was filed with the city clerk by the city assessor yesterday. Notices informing property owners of the valuation of their holdings for taxation purposes next year will be mailed without delay. The court of revision on the assessment roll will sit at the City Hall in October.

In Collision—Cars in charge of R. W. Anderson, 133 Eberts Street, and J. M. Rutter, 153 Olive Street, sustained damage at 2:25 o'clock yesterday afternoon when they collided at Cook Street and Fairfield Road. Measurements were

Witty Kitty



The girl chum's little sister thought Mrs. Gotrich must be pretty dumb when she saw the doorman tie her shoe for her. She knew how to tie her own when she was five.

Celebrating Anniversary



—Photo by Staff Photographer

MR. AND MRS. GEORGE MORTON CHRISTIE

Former Calgary residents, now living at the Marine Chateau, Oak Bay, today will celebrate the fifty-ninth anniversary of their wedding, which took place in Montreal on August 16, 1881. Mr. Christie achieved something like a record by being sixty-seven years with one firm, the G. P. Stephens Paint Company, of which he was manager in Calgary at the time of his retirement last January. He had lived in Calgary for the last forty years, his

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home previously being in Ontario. The old family home, "Morton Dale," at Brantford, Ontario, where his mother lived for many years, is now a museum, having been taken over by the Government because of its historic interest as the place where Alexander Graham Bell did his experimental work in connection with the telephone. Mr. Christie is eighty-two, Mrs. Christie is eighty.

They have four sons: one in Pittsburgh, Pa., one in Trail, B.C., one in Los Angeles, and one in Toronto.

Arms Registration—Registration of rifles and shotguns in British Columbia, which was to have begun today, has been postponed until next week, owing to the fact that the supply of forms received from Ottawa is inadequate. Attorney-General Gordon S. Wismer said yesterday. After September 15, all unregistered firearms will be confiscated.

Condition Good—The condition of Robert Greig, eighty-three-year-old victim of a traffic accident in the city on Wednesday night, was reported "good" by authorities at the Royal Jubilee Hospital last night. Mr. Greig, who resides at 853 Queens Avenue, walked into the side of an automobile on Quadra Street and received severe injuries, city police reported.

Car Turns Over—An automobile driven by Mrs. Hazel P. Watson, 1031 St. David Street, turned over on its side at 10:45 o'clock yesterday morning in a collision at Kings Road and Quadra Street, with another car in charge of Walter J. Smith, 901 Richmond Avenue. Mrs. G. Cordner, 1948 Bee Street, a passenger in Mrs. Watson's car, was taken to the Jubilee Hospital, suffering from bruises and shock.

Visit City—Six boys from White Plains, New York, under the leadership of George Goodfellow, of the Y.M.C.A. there, arrived in the city yesterday morning and, after a brief stay in the city, returned to Seattle on the afternoon boat. The boys' trip commenced on July 17 and will conclude on August 28. Victoria was the only point they visited in Canada during the tour, which covered the major centres in the United States.

For Assault—Five assaulting and causing grievous bodily harm to Jack Andrews on July 13, Cecil Williams was fined \$15 and sentenced to serve ten days in jail by Magistrate Henry C. Hall in the city police court yesterday. The court commented: "You hit a man who was not on guard, and you must have struck him a very severe blow. He had been told he was not in the brawl. I cannot look on this too lightly."

TROTTER EVENTS

GOSHEN, N.Y., Aug. 15 (AP)—Nibble Hanover, driven in the final heat by his owner, Dunbar Bostwick today scored a straight-heat victory in the trotting Derby, a stake for four and five-year-olds, feature of the Grand Circuit card.

He won the first heat easily, but at the start of the second his driver, Happy Whitney, was grounded for beating the barrier, and Bostwick substituted Elbridge Gerry, owner of Dale Hanover, also substituted for Devin Miller, who also was grounded.

The pair of owner-drivers fought it out with Nibble Hanover nearly a length to the good at the finish. Drivers Whitney and Miller drew \$100 fines and ten-day suspensions.

UNDER ORDERS

Jones leaped over the fence and watched his friend Brown hard at work in the garden.

"Been at it long?" he asked.

"Yes," sighed Brown, dejectedly, "since 7 o'clock."

"Good gracious!" gasped the other. "I wouldn't think of such a thing."

"I wouldn't, either," Brown explained, casting a nervous glance towards his house. "My wife thought of it."

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VETERAN DUO ARE DEFEATED

Allison and Van Ryn Eliminated by Young Team in Tennis Meet

NEWPORT, R.I., Aug. 15 (AP)—The up-and-coming young doubles team of Charles Mattman and Bob Hartman, of Los Angeles, sent the former national champions and Davis Cup representatives, Wilmer Allison and John Van Ryn, of Austin, Texas, to the sidelines today as play in the Newport Casino tennis tournament was reduced to the semi-final round in both singles and doubles.

The veterans, beaten in the first set, 6-2, showed something of their old-time teamwork in a marathon second set which they won 14-12. Those twenty-six grueling games took some of the sting out of their overhead smashing, and the Californians finally wore them down to win the deciding set, 9-7.

In the singles, Joe Hunt, of the United States Naval Academy, outstepped Atlanta's Billy Grant to win in straight sets, 6-2, 6-1, 6-2, and John Don McNeill, of Oklahoma City, Ted Schroeder and Frank Kovacs in the semi-finals.

McNeill ousted the veteran Frank Shields, of New York, 6-2, 6-2, 7-5.

JOCKEY, TRAINER RULED OFF TRACK

SEATTLE, August 14 (AP)—Jockey Ernest Warden, thirty-year-old riding veteran from Boise, Idaho, and Trainer Don Hall, of Seattle, were barred from Longacres race track today by stewards of the Washington State Jockey Club.

The ruling was signed by President Steward Al Hardy, representing the State Horse Racing Commission. He said the two men were ruled from the track "for having in possession equipment not permitted under rules of racing, namely—a device known as a battery. The licenses of the two are hereby revoked and the case referred to the Washington Horse Racing Commission with the recommendation that the said Warden and Hall, simultaneously involved, be ruled off the turf."

George Faltico, chairman of the commission, said the current investigation did not cease with the grounding of the jockey and trainer. The use of the battery was reported to have been made on a horse in one of last Saturday's races. A racing inspector was reported as having seen a battery handed to a jockey by the jockey after the horse had come in for a place in the betting.

FINALS REACHED IN TENNIS MEET

HALIFAX, Aug. 15 (CP)—Don McDiarmid, of Ottawa, Canadian champion, and Don Bauld, of Halifax, Nova Scotia, No. 1 ranking player, swept into the final round of the Eastern Canadian tennis championships here today.

The rangy Ottawa star hit accurately and hard to the corners in his semi-final match against Hughie Little, of Halifax, winning, 6-2, 6-3, 6-4.

Bauld, who now meets McDiarmid in the final Saturday, eliminated his younger brother, Gordon Bauld, of White Plains, 6-4, 6-2, 6-4.

Mrs. Dorothy Roper Little, twice world champion and now a war evacuee living in Bridgewater, N.S., in the women's singles division had no trouble trouncing Mrs. F. V. Woodbury, of Halifax, 6-0, 6-2.

Mrs. Little's opponent in the final will be Mrs. Gordon Lewis, of Ottawa.

KELOWNA REGATTA REALIZES \$2,500

KELOWNA, Aug. 14 (CP)—The Dominion Treasury will be enriched by \$2,500 as a result of Kelowna's "Win-the-War" regatta here last week, according to approximate figures released tonight by Secretary R. F. Parkinson.

The entire proceeds of the regatta will be given to the Canadian Treasury for war purposes.

Final figures will not be given until all accounts are settled, the secretary said. A preliminary check showed \$500 in war savings stamps were burned in a "burn Hitler" stunt on the final night, when the stamps were thrown into a fire as a direct donation to the Government.

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EDMONTON GRADS MAY VISIT VICTORIA

VANCOUVER, Aug. 15 (CP)—Edmonton Grads, holders of the women's world basketball title, left here last night for Prince Rupert and Stewart on the British Columbia coast, on another leg of their final "wind-up" tour before disbanding. They return here Monday after games at the two northern points, and will play in Victoria before returning East.

SETS SWIMMING MARK

EDMONTON, Aug. 14 (CP)—Joan MacArthur, of Edmonton, established a new Dominion swimming record tonight in the Junior girls 50-yards backstroke event at the Alberta provincial swimming championships, covering the distance in 34.5 seconds. Her time was one-fifth of a second better than the previous record set by E. Munro, of Toronto, three years ago.

ENDS IN SECOND PLACE

MONTREAL, Aug. 15 (CP)—W. Brase, of the Canadian National Rifle Association of Prince Rupert, B.C., shot 795 of a possible 800 to take second place in the Canadian outdoor small-bore rifle championship in the sixth annual Dominion marksmen outdoor small-rifle competition. It was announced today that Elwood Epps, of Clinton, Ont., with 796, won the title.

Engineering Work Appeals to Queen

LONDON, Aug. 15 (CP)—The Queen thinks she could make good in engineering work, Her Majesty told Caroline Huxley, president of the Women's Engineering Society, during a visit today to the munitions making training school. "I think the work is so interesting that I should like to take a course of training here myself," the Queen said. "And what is more I really believe I could manage the work."

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PERSONAL ITEMS and SOCIAL HAPPENINGS

English Children in Happy Mood as They Set Out for Canada

Four Hundred Leave England Under Children's Overseas Reception Scheme—Are Coming To All Parts of the Dominion

LONDON, Aug. 15 (P).—Four hundred "seavacuees"—part of the greatest mass movement of children from the British Isles since the start of the war—filled gloomy Euston Station with songs and cheers when they set out for a Northern port and ships to take them to new homes in Canada, away from the dangers of the war zone.

The youngsters, drawn from London and the suburbs, the home counties and the West Country, left for the Dominion at about the same time as 600 other children also being evacuated under the children's overseas reception scheme. They will be cared for during the war in homes from Cape Breton to Vancouver Island.

The children, who said good-bye to their parents at home, boarded their train after spending a night at hostels in London. Shepherded by twenty-eight escorts accompany-

ing them to Canada, they stepped aboard the train with little fuss—but lots of noise.

There were boys and girls from the ages of five to fifteen years, and each carried a gas respirator and a haversack or bag with immediate necessities for the train trip. Heavy baggage was sent ahead.

GOVERNMENT'S SEND-OFF
The blessing of the Government was bestowed upon the children by Geoffrey Shakespeare, under secretary for Dominion affairs. He had a handshake for each of the boys

and a kiss for each of the girls—at least the little ones.

"G'by, Maw, I'll be writing soon," one little lad shouted into the microphone of a British Broadcasting Corporation announcer who recorded the departure for the radio audience. There was a tremendous wave of cheering when the train chugged out of the station.

"We're going to a real farm," said ten-year-old Pamela Pye, who was with her sister, Dorothy, thirteen. "It's Springfield Farm, way out in Saskatchewan, where there's a whole ocean of wheat, my daddy says."

Margaret Hoare, nine, traveling with twelve-year-old Ivy and ten-year-old Dorothy, hoped she was going to the Rockies.

Other children are bound for homes in Calgary, Edmonton, Banff, Erskine, Alta.; Saskatoon, Vancouver and Victoria.

SOME OF THE CHILDREN
Families of all sizes are included in the group of 400 and there are several sets of twins. Anthony and Jeffrey Curtis, seven-year-old twin children of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Curtis, of Chelmsford, Essex, made the trip with three other Curtis children—Hugh, thirteen; Muriel, eleven; and Frederick, nine.

Five children of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Deru, of Enfield, Middlesex, started off together—four sisters, Adrienne, eight; June and Yvonne,

twins of eleven; Ada, twelve, and a small brother, Edward, five. At the last minute, Edward could not pass the Canadian medical examination and to his relief—and that of his mother who went to fetch him—he had to stay at home.

"I think he was fretting for me," Mrs. Deru said. "That is what made him so pale. I'm glad now to keep one with me."

Miss Iris Fazan, a Girl Guide district commissioner and camp adviser, led the group. Her staff of escorts included school teachers, a club teacher, a clergyman, Salvation Army officers, a music teacher, an artist and a physical instructor. The medical staff included two doctors, one of whom is Lady Sarah Winsted, and six trained nurses.

The shipboard programme called for lessons, rest and recreation, and a daily motion picture show of films about Canadian life.

Weddings
ROBINSON—WEBB

The Douglas Street Baptist Church was beautifully decorated last evening for the wedding of Peggy Florence, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Webb, 3388 Tenbyson Avenue, and Mr. Henry Gordon Robinson, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Robinson, Prince Albert, Sask., and Prospect Lake, Rev. F. W. McKinnon officiated and during the service the young couple stood between tall baskets of gladioli and dahlias. White ribbons marked the guest seats.

The bride was given in marriage by her father and wore a lovely wedding gown of white satin, the skirt inset with lace panels, the bodice and skirt buttoned up the front. The sleeves were long and shirred. The fingertip-length embroidered net veil was attached to a lace cap with silver sequins and a coronet of orange blossoms. She wore a necklace of pearls, the gift of the groom, and a brooch of rubies and pearls belonging to the groom's great-grandmother. The bridal bouquet was composed of Ophelia roses, carnations and swansonia.

Miss Hilda Webb, sister of the bride, was maid of honor and Miss Gladys Webb and Miss Janet Robinson, the former being the sister of the bride, and the latter the sister of the groom, were bridesmaids. Their frocks were of net with little jackets trimmed with flowers and their doll hats of net were adorned with blue flowers. Miss Webb's frock was powder blue and Miss Robinson's a peach shade. Their bouquets were composed of gladioli and delphiniums and their lace gloves matched their frocks. Mr. Leslie Webb was best man and the ushers were Mr. Bill Tyson and Mr. Bert Gonyea. Mrs. F. W. McKinnon played the wedding music and Miss Catherine Craig sang "Because" while the register was being signed.

A reception for relatives was held at the home of the bride's parents, where the rooms were decorated with lovely flowers. The bride and groom stood before the flower-banked fireplace to receive good wishes of their guests. Mrs. Webb, the bride's mother, wore a queen's blue sheer frock with a large navy blue straw hat and Mrs. Robinson, mother of the groom, wore a dusky pink crepe dress and matching straw hat. They both wore corsage bouquets of rosebuds. The supper table was covered with a lace cloth and centered with the wedding cake made in three tiers and had been decorated by the bridegroom's mother. During the evening Miss Craig sang and Mr. William Harkness entertained with his magic tricks. Rev. F. W. McKinnon proposed the toast to the bride.

Mr. and Mrs. Robinson left for their honeymoon, the bride wearing a black crepe dress and a princess-lines cloth coat, a black felt hat trimmed with white, and white accessories. Her corsage bouquet was of roses, carnations and swansonia. On their return, Mr. and Mrs. Robinson will move in to their new home at Prospect Lake.

ALLAN—MARGESON
The marriage took place at St. Matthias' Church on Wednesday at 4 p.m. of Helen Eva, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. P. E. Margeson, Kennedy Street, Nanaimo, to Lance-Cpl. Joseph Allan, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. Allan, Nanaimo. Rev. Canon R. Ryall officiated. Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a small dressmaker suit of navy blue wool with a blue halo hat trimmed with small flowers. She was attended by Miss Mavis Dunsmore, Nanaimo, who wore a blue suit with a blue halo hat. The bride's bouquet was of roses, carnations and swansonia. Mr. George Love played the wedding marches.

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On their return from the honeymoon trip to Salt Spring Island, the bride and groom will live in Victoria.

ROUTLEDGE—ROBSON
The marriage took place last evening at 7 o'clock in the First United Church, Rev. Thomas Menzies officiating, when Dorothy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Robson, Brandon, Man., became the bride of Mr. Ronald Routledge, R.C.S.C. son of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Routledge, Regina, Sask. The bride and groom were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hodges.

The bride wore a smart frock of pale blue triple sheer with touches of white as trimming, her white hat being trimmed with a blue veil. Her accessories were white and her corsage bouquet was composed of gardenias.

After the ceremony, a reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hodges, 3127 Fifth Street, where, in a lovely floral setting and beneath an arch of gladioli and ferns, the bride and groom received their friends. Mrs. Hodges, assisting in receiving, wore a white ensemble and a bouquet of pink carnations. A three-tier wedding cake centered the supper table, which was covered with a cutwork and lace cloth and arranged with pink carnations and pink tapers in silver holders. Miss Hilda Jacques and Mrs. W. Hazell (Regina) assisted in serving.

After their honeymoon, Mr. and Mrs. Routledge will live at 3127 Fifth Street.

GRIMES—McDOUGALL
A pretty but quiet wedding was solemnized by Rev. H. C. Phillips, Vancouver, on August 12, at the home of the bride's mother, 1484 E. 27th Avenue, Vancouver, when Lucy Ada, only daughter of Mrs. L. M. McDougall and the late Mr. D. C. McDougall, Victoria, became the bride of Mr. William H. Grimes, younger son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Grimes, 3271 Maplewood Road, Victoria. The bride, who looked charming in a three-length dress of pink crepe with a corsage bouquet of gardenias and carnations, was given away by Mr. D. S. McCannell, Vancouver. Mr. and Mrs. Grimes will make their home in Victoria.

ROBERTS—COURT
The marriage of Mildred, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Court, 2833 Shelbourne Street, and Corporal Jack Edward Roberts, R.C.A.S.C., son of Mr. J. Roberts, Vancouver, and the late Mrs. Roberts, was solemnized by Captain the Rev. Alan Gardiner in St. Paul's Church and Garrison Church at 8:30 o'clock last evening.

The bride was given away by her father, and wore an afternoon frock of shell pink georgette, with white accessories and a corsage bouquet of pink rosebuds, and attending her was Miss Dolly McCoy, in a peach sheer frock with white accessories and a corsage bouquet of mauve gladioli and pink carnations. Ernest Venice, R.C.A.S.C., was best man.

For the reception, at the family home, pastel shaded gladioli, pink carnations and gypsophila had been arranged, and the bride's cake rested on the supper table, which was decorated with vases of carnations and ferns.

On return from a wedding trip to Up-Island, Corporal and Mrs. Roberts will make their home at 1429 Vining Street.

PLAXTON—OLDING
The marriage ceremony was performed by Rev. C. D. Clarke, in James Bay United Church, at 8:30 o'clock last evening, when Edna Kathleen, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Olding, 508 Pendray Street, became the bride of Harvey Ray Plaxton, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. Plaxton, Richmond Road, in a setting of pink and white gladioli.

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Social Activities and Notes of Personal Interest



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Honored Bride-to-Be

Misses Margaret Partington, Gladys Melhuish and Jessie Robertson were hostesses last evening at a miscellaneous shower given at the home of Miss Betty Thorn, Duchess Street, in honor of Miss Betty Thorn, whose marriage to Mr. Harold Cliff takes place tomorrow. As she entered the living-room, which was effectively decorated with Summer flowers, Miss Thorn was presented with a corsage bouquet composed of a mauve orchid-like gladiolus tip surrounded by pink rosebuds and

ferns. The many pretty and useful gifts were concealed in a box covered with vivid red crepe paper and marked with gold lettering to resemble a realistic "parcel postbox," and this was presented to the bride-to-be. Several amusing games were played and enjoyed and later in the evening a buffet supper was served. The table, covered with a lace cloth, was prettily arranged with a centerpiece of pink carnations and mauve sweet peas in a cut-glass bowl. Mrs. E. Birt presided. The guests were Mesdames S. J. Thorn, E. Birt, S.

Thorn, G. Gribble, R. Whellams, J. Moore, E. Burch, W. Allen and Misses E. Barnes, Leila Garland, Dorothy Custance, Ivy Bradley, Eileen Bennett, Muriel Raine, Marjorie Cioke and Mabel Viggers.

Miscellaneous Shower

A surprise miscellaneous shower was given recently at the home of Mrs. F. Ackerman, Gordon Street, in honor of Miss J. Morrow, who was presented with a corsage bouquet of pink carnations and the gifts were concealed in a yellow and white decorated truck which was drawn in to the room by little Margaret Anderson. Prizes for the contest were won by Mrs. E. Logan and Miss A. Campion, the consolation prizes by Miss J. Morrow and Mrs. J. Bradshaw. A sit-down supper was served at a table decorated with a lace cloth and centered by a spray of yellow and bronze salpiglossias. Mrs. G. Durrant assisted in serving. The guests were Mesdames L. Ritchie, B. Sims, J. Bradshaw, A. James, F. Durrant, W. Head, H. Hill, S. Holmes, D. Hill, A. Hill, E. Logan, S. Durrant, Misses T. Arthur, H. Lidgate, B. Billingshurst, A. Campion and M. Anderson.

Celebrated Birthday

Mrs. J. Kirk 3139 Steele Street, entertained yesterday afternoon at a birthday party for her little son, Bobby, who was four years old. The afternoon was spent playing games in the garden and a photograph was taken of the jolly group as a souvenir of the occasion. A pink and yellow color scheme was carried out for the decorations on the tea table

A Silver Wedding Today



MR. AND MRS. A. T. PORTER

Holland Avenue, will celebrate their twenty-fifth anniversary of their wedding today, and will be "at home" 7 to 9 o'clock. They were married in Seattle, Mrs. Porter before her marriage being Miss Pearl May Stevens, Seattle. There are two daughters, Mrs. John Rankin and daughter, Hazel Rankin, who

above which hung a cluster of bright-colored balloons. The prettily decorated birthday cake with its four lighted candles held the place of honor before Bobby, and the others watched when it was cut. Those present were Mrs. E. Haikala with Baby Wendy Jean, Mrs. S. Hilton with son, Mrs. J. Lindal with Barbara, Bruce and Bobby, Mrs. W. Wild with Arthur, Mrs. T. Naiton with Carol Ann, Mrs. F. Britton, Misses Marian Pengelly and Josie Hyde, and Master Stephen Bishop.

Leave for Saskatoon

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Munkley, with their son and daughter, Frank and Ruth, who have been on a motoring trip visiting friends and relatives, have left for their home in Saskatoon. While in Victoria, they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Watt, Arnot Avenue.

Hears Sad News

Friends of Mrs. R. H. McPhee, 410 Quebec Street, will be sorry to learn that she has recently suffered bereavement in the death of her sister in France.

Has Returned Home

Miss Margaret McDermott returned yesterday afternoon after spending a few days here with relatives.

Wedding Is Celebrated Up-Island

DUNCAN, Aug. 15.—At St. Peter's Church, Quamichan, amid a setting of Summer flowers, Archdeacon H. A. Collyton, Vancouver, assisted by Canon T. M. Hughes, yesterday afternoon united in marriage Susan Mary, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. MacRae, "Ben Raedarc," Lakes Road, and Mr. Hector Carlton Stone, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Stone, "Stonehaven," Gibbins Road.

The choir, under the direction of Mrs. R. E. MacRae, was in attendance; Mr. B. Clements was at the organ, and during the signing of the register Mr. B. E. Reall played appropriate wedding music.

THE BRIDE

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was a charming picture in her mother's wedding dress, veil and orange blossoms. The dress was of cream duchess satin fashioned on princess lines, with a train trimmed with lace, and her veil was caught with a coronet of orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of pink and white rosebuds in a shower arrangement.

Two bridesmaids attended her, the groom's sister, Miss Aurel Stone, in a frock of pale pink net over pink satin and Miss Patricia Gibson in a similar frock in blue. They wore wreaths of pink and blue flowers in their hair, and carried sheaves of gladiolus in pastel shades. Mr. Norman Stone was best man, and Mr. Gordon Stone acted as usher.

AT THE RECEPTION

After the ceremony, a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, the guests being received on the flower-bordered lawn. Mrs. MacRae, dressed in ciel blue silk crepe, was assisted in receiving the guests by Mrs. Stone, who wore a gown of rust-colored silk crepe with a large hat in matching tones. The toast to the bride, to which the groom responded, was proposed by Mr. F. Fearman, Vancouver, an old friend of both bride and groom.

Mr. and Mrs. Hector Stone left for a honeymoon at Banff, and on their return will reside in their new home on Gibbins Road. Mrs. Stone traveled in a becoming frock of sea mist grey silk, orchid topcoat and white hat and accessories.

Among the out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Komer, Mr. and Mrs. F. Fearman, Miss M. A. Inverarity, Victoria, and Mrs. J. Montague Scott, San Francisco.

FOR WANT OF FUNDS

An explorer says that a certain temple in Peru, begun three thousand years ago, was never finished. Apparently they hadn't such things as bazars in those days.

Service Women to Have Their Own London Club

King George and Queen Elizabeth Club Is Opened In Manchester Square by Lady Vansittart — Provision for Every Comfort

LONDON, Aug. 15 (CP).—When Canadian nurses with the forces come, on leave, to London they, like the soldiers, will find ready for them a special leave club, only this is on an Empire scale.

The King George and Queen Elizabeth Club for Service Women of the Empire, under the presidency of Lady Vansittart, has been realized through efforts of the Empire Societies' War Hospitality Committee. The Nuffield trust for the forces of the Crown has generously made a considerable grant for the initial cost and the first year's upkeep.

Many prominent London women attended the opening reception and were received in the beautiful old house in Manchester Square by Lady Vansittart, smartly gowned in black and white; Lady Muriel Gore-Brown, chairman, and Miss Elise Spott, vice-chairman.

FORMER NURSES' HOME

The house was the former home of the Florence Nightingale International Foundation, where nurses from every country of the world stayed while doing post-graduate work in London.

Since the war, these nurses have had to return to their own lands, but the twenty-two bedrooms now available to service women of every category still retain the names written on the door—Czechoslovakia, Canada, Hungary, Australia and so on.

We are leaving the names on the doors because we're confident that one day they will be coming back from those countries again," said Miss Spott as she showed us through the spacious rooms so comfortably furnished. Miss Spott is well known to Canadian Business and Professional Club women, whom she has met during her Canadian travels.

SOCIAL RENDEZVOUS

The club is planned not only as a leave centre, but also as a meeting place where social and recreational facilities will be available to both residents and non-residents. A large dining-room is attractively arranged with small tables on the main floor. The charges are small. Bed, breakfast and bath will be three shillings a night.

On the first floor is a large ballroom for dancing, a comfortable and large lounge, where evenings may be spent quietly by the fireside. The reception rooms are particularly attractive for their French windows from ceiling to floor and the beautiful Adam mantels. A programme of dances and concerts is planned.

CLUB FACILITIES

Centrally situated, and with facilities for washing, ironing and mending and a service of information enabling nurses or other war workers who spend their few days' leave there to find their way about easily, the new club will be a boon to the service women.

"The work of the Florence Nightingale Foundation lay also in the same field and both the trustees and the ESWHC (which is a kind of business and professional women's club) feel happy to think that the continuity is being maintained," said Lady Vansittart. "We hope that the women of the whole Empire may be happy and comfortable here."

A young naval officer home on leave was discussing arrangements for his wedding.

Mother, who was anxious to make a good show, exclaimed: "Tom, don't forget when the cake is cut you must help the bride to cut it with your sword."

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Emulsified Coconut Oil Shampoo at 19c
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Theatrical Cold Cream 69c
Lubricreme 67c
Reid's Hair Tonic 69c
Vanex Chamomile Shampoo Powder 9c
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Dew Deodorant Cream 33c
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Free HINDS
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A supply of "Vitamin A" for the nasal and bronchial cavities. The best combination for asthma and hay fever. Three weeks' supply \$3.50 at all Cunningham Drug Stores.

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At Munday's Semi-Annual Clearance Sale of High-Grade Footwear
FRIDAY, 8:30 A.M. SHARP
"VITALITY'S" Famous White Shoes, Regular \$9.75, TOMORROW, HALF PRICE, **\$4.95**
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1182 OLD ESQUIMALT ROAD
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BUTTER Hudson's First Grade Only, 28c 3 for 82c
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SIDE BACON Campfire Brand, 13c 2 for 25c
Sliced, 1/2 lb. pkts.

LARD Burns' Shamrock, 3 for 25c
1-lb. cartons

SHORTENING Snowflake, 9c
1-lb. cartons

Assorted Beans, 3 for 21c
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Park and Beans, 3 for 19c
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Tuna Fish, 21c
1/2 lb. tin
Tuna Fish, 16c
1/2 lb. tin

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2 pkts.
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2 pkts.

Save Your Box Tops and Get Your Silverware Premiums

Nirawhere Jam, Empress, 47c
Pure, 4-lb. tin
Chili Sauce, 15c
1-lb. bottle

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1 Pkt. Kellogg's Corn Flakes, 25c
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Cleaner, Royal Crown, 4c
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PRIME RIB ROASTS BEEF, per lb., 30c

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SWEET PICKLED BRISKET, rolled, per lb., 17c

Leg Roast Spring Lamb, 35c
per lb.

Rump Roast Veal, 25c
per lb.

Round Bone Pot Roasts, 16c
per lb.

Mild Cheese, 22c
per lb.

Baked Virginia Ham, Sliced, 65c
per lb.

Liver Loaf, Sliced, 35c
per lb.

W.C. Potato Salad, 15c
per lb.

Shoulder Spring Lamb, Whole, 20c
per lb.

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A soldier whose main trouble was extreme talkativeness was on escort duty with a corporal taking an important prisoner to headquarters.

Before starting he had been told that on no account was he to speak; a bet of a tin of cigarettes had been made that he couldn't keep silent until reaching headquarters.

They went in single file, the soldier quiet, the corporal mute.

On arriving at headquarters, the corporal, without looking round, said, "Well, Tommy, you've won the bet."

"Yes," replied Tommy, "but you nearly had me when the prisoner escaped."

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FASTEST CLEANSER I EVER USED!

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3 Salad Forks for only 60¢ and 3 Old Dutch Labels (\$1.60 value)

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TODAY'S HIGHLIGHTS

9 a.m.—The C.B.C. will present broadcasts from the scene of the Canadian open golf championship at this time, and again at 12 o'clock noon, and 2:15 o'clock. C.B.C.

6:30 p.m.—All of the songs written for Bing Crosby's new picture, "Rhythm on the River," will be heard with a host of stars from an exclusive preview of the film at the Del Mar Turf Club. KOMO, KPO.

NEWS BROADCASTS TODAY

Morning—8:00, C.B.C. CJOJ, 8:15, CFT, 8:45, C.B.C. KOL, 9:30, KJR, 10:00, KJR, KOL, 10:45, C.B.C. CJOJ, 11:45, KIRO, 12 noon, KJR, KOL.

Afternoon—12:30, CJOJ, CFT, 1:00, C.B.C. KOL, 1:45, C.B.C. CJOJ, 2:15, KJR, 3:15, KIRO, 3:45, KJR, 3:57, C.B.C. CJOJ, 4:45, KIRO.

Evening—6:15, KJR, 6:30, C.B.C. CFT, 7:00, C.B.C. CJOJ, 7:15, KOL, 8:00, CJOJ, 9:00, KIRO, 10:00, KOMO, 10:15, C.B.C. CJOJ, 11:30, C.B.C. KOL.

The following programmes are compiled by the various broadcasting companies and are subject to change.

8:00 a.m.—B.C. News (C.B.C.).

8:00 a.m.—Women in White (C.B.C.).

8:00 a.m.—Morning News (C.B.C.).

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Longing for a Fur Coat?

You Can Have It Now At a SALE PRICE

DURING OUR

AUGUST SALE

OF

FUR COATS

If one of your dreams and wishes is a new fur coat this Fall and Winter you'll be wise to get it now, at "The Bay." We are showing wide selections.

Every Fur Coat in Our Extensive Stocks on Sale... Buy Now at THE BAY and Save!

Now is the time to fulfill your dream while you can share the outstanding savings in THE BAY'S August Sale of Furs! We assure you of satisfaction! Offered at Sale Prices, each garment is an outstanding value... the utmost in quality, workmanship and style possible at the price! Each coat carries "The Bay's" Seal of Quality... your guarantee of satisfaction. See the new Fall and Winter styles... new collar and shoulder treatments, bracelet and voluminous sleeves, the new and important yoke and other popular touches to add interest and beauty to your appearance.

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For Saleswomen
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You'll enjoy miles and miles of comfort in each pair of these Dr. O'Dell Arch-Support Shoes... we suggest that you stock up! You must see them to really appreciate their value... the patterns are trim and neat for business, street and afternoon wear. Each pair is made of fine-quality kid with built-in arch support and inside pad to assure correct support and comfort. Black or brown kid ties or black kid pumps. Sizes 3 to 9, widths A to E.

2.98 Pair

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EIGHT-PIECE BEDROOM ENSEMBLE

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An opportunity to furnish your bedroom attractively and comfortably... the suite includes a full-size bed, with a comfortable inner-spring mattress, cable spring and two feather pillows, together with vanity and upholstered bench and a four-drawer chiffonier. Visit each of the Home Furnishing Departments... view the exceptional offers... enquire about the convenient payment plans and generous trade-in allowances!

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With Wool Prices Advancing You'll Be Wise to Share This Blanket Sale

PURE WOOL BLANKETS

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REVERSIBLE WOOL BLANKETS

High quality blankets of soft, fleecy pure wool, specially priced to enable you to stock up. Attractive blended rainbow borders. Size 60 x 80. 9.98

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Staples, Street Floor at THE BAY

BOYER FACES TWO FORGERY CHARGES

Worthless Cheques for \$25.23 and \$34.92 Involved in Case for Higher Court

Anthony Frederick Boyer was committed for trial on a charge of

unlawfully using a forged cheque with a face value of \$25.23, at conclusion of a preliminary hearing before Magistrate Henry C. Hall in the city police court yesterday. Stuart Henderson appeared for the accused.

Boyer will also stand trial on a charge of using a forged cheque with a face value of \$34.92. He was committed on Monday.

George Hemmington, the first witness called by Claude L. Harrison, by Boyer,

Yakima Doctor to Face Schwengers In Today's Final

Dr. J. P. Loudon Eliminates Walter Fovargue in Semis of Grand Championship of Seniors' Golf Tournament—Victorian Beats Paul Glaser—Canada Wins International Match

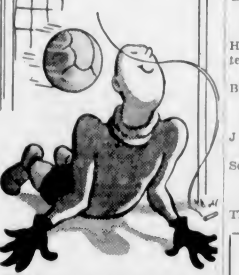
Another international final will be staged today at the Colwood course to decide the grand championship of the Seniors' Northwest Golf Association when Dr. J. P. Loudon, Yakima, a newcomer to the veterans' ranks this year, will go up against the 1937 champion, Bernie Schwengers, of this city. The match will start at 10 o'clock and is expected to attract a big gallery as both "boys" are right at their peak and therefore a keenly-fought match is expected to be witnessed. The Yakima shotmarker, who ran away with the qualifying round on Monday by blazing his way around the links in 74, four over par and three better than his closest rival, eliminated Walter Fovargue, Aberdeen, after a great battle in one of the semi-finals, two up, while Schwengers had a much easier time with Paul Glaser, Seattle, contender, and closed out the match at the fourteenth, 5 and 4.

Loudon won his match the hard way, as his opponent was right in the thick of it from the very first green until the last. After halving the first hole in five, Fovargue took the lead by getting his par four at the second in Loudon's five. A pair of fives halved the tough third and then the Aberdeen man moved into a two-up lead by winning the short fourth with another par, while the Yakima veteran went one over.

Loudon played the dog-leg fifth perfectly, getting his par five, and against Fovargue's six to leave him one down. Both got four at the next for a half and then Fovargue increased the advantage to two up again by winning the short seventh with a three. Loudon had a four however, the medalist came back with the eighth with a great birdie three and then took the ninth with a four to square the battle at the halfway distance.

THREE IN ROW
Starting over the back nine, the Yakima doctor really went to work on Fovargue and captured the first three holes to go three up. But Fovargue rallied again, won the fourteenth and fifteenth holes to tighten the gap, but that was the nearest he came to squaring it for the rest of the journey for Dr.

'STRIKES ME IT'S A BLACK CAT'



That fine aroma of Black Cat's pure, unadulterated Virginia leaf scores a goal every time! And what's more

—they taste better!

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PLAIN CORK TIP
VIRGINIA CIGARETTES
TWO SIZES 10c AND 25c

SILVER TOP DRY GIN
The Base of a Good Cocktail



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Canadian Is Beaten in Title Fight



It isn't difficult to see from the above picture taken in this title fight with Harry Jeffra, in Baltimore, why Toronto's Jack Armstrong was nicknamed "Spider." Here he's shown all arms and legs as he ducks a Jeffra left, sends a left to the body and prepares to follow up with a right. At the same time he's well protected from invasion on all sides. The scrapper flailed in his attempt on Jeffra's share of the world's featherweight

championship, but only after belting the champ groggy in the early rounds. And then it was so close at the end of the fifteen rounds that several of the writers figured the worst he should have obtained was a draw.

Class "D"—First Flight
9:15—B. H. Anderson vs. J. G. Matthews.
Second Flight
9:30—P. C. Neal vs. N. J. Frayn.
Third Flight
9:45—H. G. Garrett vs. J. C. Pen-drax.

Fourth Flight
9:00—R. H. Lyons vs. E. A. Erb.
Fifth Flight
9:15—W. S. Dirker vs. H. W. Beecher.

CRUCIAL BALL GAME TONIGHT
Eagles Facing Elimination in City Championship Play-Offs With Gasmen

Local Sharpshooters Will Play Tonight

AMERICAN LEAGUE
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Boston . . . 303 050 000-11 14 2
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Batteries—Heving and Fox; Hon-ham, Hadley, Bruer, Murphy and Dickey.

First Game R. H. E.
Washington . . . 103 203 000-9 15 0

Prairie Aquatic Stars Head for Victoria Events

EDMONTON, Aug. 14 (CP)—Four of Edmonton's champion Alberta swimmers will leave tomorrow for the Western Canada swimming championship meet at Thela Lake, near Victoria.

Heading the list are Doug Matheson and Mary Stewart-Irvine, holders of the provincial mile titles. They will be accompanied by Bob Matheson, brother of Doug, and George Valpy.

Bob Matheson, winner of the provincial 220-yard race here last night, will compete in the 220-yard and 50-yard events. Valpy, the province's best 440-yard man, is entered in the mile race.

DAVIES TO PITCH
Eagles' only hope for victory tonight will rest on the shoulders of young Stan Davies, and admirers of the blond-thatched twirler figure he will be just the man to stop the lapping gasmen. Davies has enjoyed a good season in local and inter-city play, and if his throwing arm is in good shape the gashouse squad will probably find base hits hard to collect.

"Copper" Ray Matland will return to the club for Pitzer and Nex, and can be relied upon to make things interesting. The big right hander is one of the most improved heavers in the league, and his followers look for him to beat the Eagles a second time.

A third triumph for the gasmen will give them the preliminary series in straight games, and clear the way for the opening of the finals tomorrow against the league-leading Tillam Athletic.

Supporters of the Eagles, however, feel confident that the series will not end tonight. They are ready to stake the house and lot on young Davies, and are even looking to their club to come through to take three games in a row and the preliminary play-downs.

BASEBALL'S BIG SIX
By The Associated Press
(Three Leaders in Each League)

AMERICAN LEAGUE—FOXX, Red Sox
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BUSTER WEST
Dancing Sailor
HAS WON THE SAME PAIR OF SHOES 30 YEARS!

PUFF BALL GREW TO A CIRCUMFERENCE OF 5 FT. 4 INCHES IN 3 DAYS!
Mildred TRICKA, St. Paul, Minn.

EXPLANATION FOR SUNDAY'S RIPLEY CARTOON
Please address all queries to Cartoonist Ripley, c/o King Features, New York City, N.Y.

Believe It or Not By Ripley

OLDEST MONUMENT TO THE UNKNOWN SOLDIER
AN ARMENIAN MOSAIC INSCRIPTION OVER THE DAMASCUS GATE OF JERUSALEM
READS: "TO THE MEMORY OF ALL THOSE WHO FELL WHOSE NAMES THE LORD ALONE KNOWS"

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Cincy Reds Are Defeated By Chicago Cubs Behind Pitching of Passeau, 1-0

REACH FINALS IN CITY MEET

Play in Tennis Championships at Victoria Courts Nearing Conclusion

Given an excellent chance of succeeding Mrs. J. C. I. Edwards as city tennis queen, Miss Paula Merrix marched into the women's singles final yesterday at the Victoria Lawn Tennis Club courts, with a convincing victory over Miss K. Grogan. Playing beautiful tennis, Miss Merrix won in straight sets and with the loss of only a single game. The scores were 6-0, 6-1.

Finalists in the mixed doubles were also named at the Port Street courts. Miss P. Jackson and Rex Corfield defeated Miss Anna Peden and Wood, 6-4, 6-4. In the top bracket semi-final, while at the other end of the draw, Miss Merrix and A. C. Brand turned back Miss Unsworth and Coulicher in a three-set match. The winners dropped the opening set 6-2, and then came back with 6-2 and 10-8 victories to take the match. Flight results follow: Men's Doubles—Butler and McConnell won from Davey and Keyes, 6-2, 6-4.

Mixed Doubles (semi-finals)—Mrs. Dodds and Temple won from Miss McCall and Parker, 2-6, 6-4, 6-4. Miss H. Peden and Wilkinson won from Miss M. McCallum and McCallum, 6-3, 5-7, 6-2.

TODAY'S DRAW
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6:00—Temple and Margison vs. Flett and Parker.

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The American League-leading Indians pounded Southpaw Thornton Lee for fifteen hits, including five doubles, today, but failed to connect with the pincches and barely nosed out Chicago, 5-4. It enabled them to hold their margin of two games over Detroit.

The Tigers, with Louis (Buck) Newsom contributing six-hit pitching and a double in the sixth inning that put his teammates in the lead, beat St. Louis Browns, 5-2.

Joe Heving, a relief pitcher making his first start of the year, was a real relief to the sagging Boston Red Sox. Handcuffing the world champion New York Yankees with three hits, he broke a four-game losing streak and a six-game Yankee winning streak for the Sox.

His mates clubbed four Yankee hurlers for fourteen blows, including home runs by Jimmy Fox (his twenty-ninth) and Red Williams.

The last-place Athletics ganged up on Walter Masterson in the eighth inning for four runs, to win the second game of a double-header from Washington Senators, 6-5. The A's dropped the opener, 9-4.

Boston Bees continued their winning surge in the National League Giant pitchers for eighteen hits and a 12-1 victory.

The stumbling Cincinnati Reds fell before the puzzling wizardry of Claude Passeau, losing a 1-0 decision to Chicago Cubs. Passeau allowed only five hits in winning his thirteenth game of the season. It was the league leaders' ninth defeat in their last fourteen games. The defeat left Cincinnati still five games ahead of Brooklyn, who also lost.

Even more important, the Dodgers lost Pee Wee Reese, their star \$75,000 rookie shortstop.

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Lucky for Love

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CHAPTER XXIII

Marilyn and Kathleen were sharing a two-room and kitchenette apartment in East Tenth Street. "Bring your alpine sticks," Kathleen had told their friends. "We're four flights up, and you have to do your own climbing."

Sharing an apartment was a convenient, economic and happy arrangement. Convenient for work, economic in that it cut living expenses in two, happy because it provided companionship both girls wanted and needed. Neither presumed to intrude on the private affairs of the other. Yet each found satisfaction, relief even, in mutual confidences, mutual trust, a community of interest in their tabloid home.

"The coffee is and the sugar burners are out!" Marilyn reported from the kitchenette.

"I'll squeeze the oranges," Kathleen called. "Hop into the shower and make it snappy. I'll save my shower until after I've wrestled with the oranges. That's when I'll need it. What's in the ice box for supper? The way I feel now I'm coming straight home from the office, pile myself a plate of food and get bread crumbs all over my bed."

"Help yourself," Marilyn laughed. "Bruce is taking me to a place he's just discovered. Sure-nuff Southern fried chicken and waffles. We'll probably take in a movie afterward."

"Yes? Seems to me this Bruce person is a habit around our house. One can't open the front door without stumbling over him."

"Don't be silly, Kathleen. Bruce—well, he's sort of sorry for me. I'm alone, he's alone—his mother and father are dead, you know; he has no sisters, no brothers—only distant relatives."

"Hey, partner, don't tell me he wants you to be a sister to him. Men with all his money, looks and position never need to be alone. Besides, I've seen him look at you and his eyes weren't saying 'Sister'."

"If you don't stop teasing and go into action, Cookie will have plenty to say when we report late at Clarco."

When Marilyn came out of the bath, Kathleen was scanning the morning paper. They shared it riding the subway to work.

"I've been slumming through Tom Peep's gossip column," she said. "There's a morsel in it you won't like. You might as well see it now, and be prepared. Darn that sister of yours, anyhow. And just when we're going along so smoothly! Now I suppose you'll start worrying yourself into a lather again."

Marilyn took the paper. Here it was, the Keyhole Column, and yes at the very top.

"What slightly faded lovely of the night clubs appeared at what hot spot last yawn and scared what buttered playboy clean out of a side exit?" and what highly publicized Queen of Beauty is pouting today because she did not know her knight-errant hat was kind of past? . . . Oh, well, the Queen's throne has been rocking ever since she started using it for a step-ladder . . ."

"Why the gloom?" Kathleen asked. "Aren't you stepping out with the big boss, the one and only Bruce Gordon tonight?"

"I'm not stepping," Marilyn said. Her eyes still were on the roof tops. Kathleen spun her hat toward the table. "Why?" she wanted to know.

"What's happened?"

"Clara phoned. She was in Bruce's apartment. She had a message for me. I'm invited to join them at the Penguin Club this evening for dinner."

"You mean your sister Clara and Bruce Gordon? Look, Lynn, come away from that window. I'll brew a dish of tea. You've been dreaming. Wake up! Stop talking in your sleep!"

"It's no dream," Marilyn came away from the window, began peering into the narrow room. "Clara called. She was in Bruce's apartment. She delivered the message."

"My aunt's whisper? Clara was in her hotel or a handy telephone booth putting on one of her needling acts. Don't tell me you fell for it?"

"No. I didn't fall. I called Bruce's apartment. Clara answered."

"What? Are you sure it was Clara?"

"Yes, Clara."

"Well of all—Lynn, there's a fishy odor to this business. I have a feeling it's not as it seems."

"Wishful thinking, maybe."

"Wishful, my eye! We're waiting here until Bruce Gordon calls for you and he doesn't call, we're doing a job of snooping. We're going to the Penguin for a look-see. It happens I've been there several times and I know the keyhole through which we can snoop. There's a little jog in the bar just as you come in. We can slide into the jog and have a bird's-eye view of the entire scene without being seen. What say, Lynn?"

Marilyn stopped peering. She was calm now.

"I say 'yes.' She went to the bathroom, splashed cold water over her face and her throat. Deliberately, she applied powder, a touch of lipstick. Then she came back into the living-room and composed herself, as best she could, to wait for Bruce Gordon."

At eight o'clock Kathleen Garvan said, "Tuck your hair under your hat, Lynn. We're off for the Penguin Club." She had expected an argument from Marilyn, a last-withdrawal, but none was forthcoming. Instead, Marilyn pulled her hat to a smart angle and her chin to a sharp one. "Let's go," she said, leading the way.

Less than an hour later Marilyn and Kathleen were back in their apartment.

"Honestly, Lynn, Kathleen was saying, 'You could bowl me over with a pinfeather. What's it all about? That dizzy sister of yours and Bruce Gordon in the Penguin when he had a date with you. Say here's a thought. They weren't rating. Just sitting. Clara was sulking from a glass. Gordon had a glass but he didn't touch it while we were there. Struck me he was waiting. Clara did all the talking. He looked plenty bothered. Think back, Lynn. Did he look like a man who was having a good time?'"

"I didn't notice. I just knew they were there, together, as Clara said they would be. Clara wants Bruce. She told me so—that night."

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FLYIN' JENNY

The Twain Meet

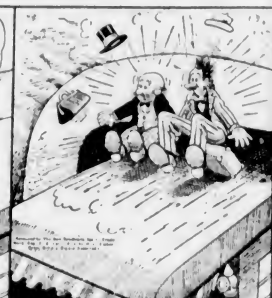
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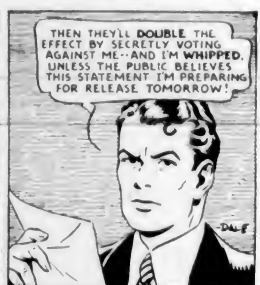
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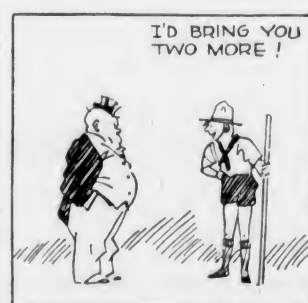
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country in 1908 as telegraph operator for the Dominion Government. Shortly thereafter he was made agent for the many Indians in the district, with headquarters at Port Fraser.

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Twenty-four hours a day, in the most distant outpost to which the army may be called, these mobile garages are ready to charge, repair and test all types of batteries in the shortest permissible time. Spark plugs can be serviced, tires and tubes repaired and patches vulcanized, and brakes refined and repaired. Equipment is furnished for the straightening and precise alignment of axles, chassis frames and bent bodies which frequently result from fighting action.

Engines may be overhauled, cylinders bored and honed and new pistons fitted, valves reconditioned and ground, and all kinds of similar major and minor operations carried out. Facilities are available for grinding, drilling and welding to effect any type of repair, no matter how extensive it may be.

HYDRAULIC PRESSES
An hydraulic arbor press is installed to exert a force of forty tons for the purpose of pressing together or pulling apart the transmission gearing and other "driving-fit" parts. An oversize air compressor and storage tank furnish ample "free air." Complete equipment also is included for paint spraying. Complete sets of tools are available for every conceivable purpose.

All the electrical and machine equipment has been specially designed by the department's technical experts with a view to portability, so that if conditions warrant it can be dismantled, established in any convenient building as a permanent or semi-permanent garage, complete in every detail, thereby leaving each vehicle free for use in other types of service.

What Today Means

"LEO"

If August 16 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date, are from 10 a.m. until noon, from 2 to 4 p.m. and from 8 to 10 p.m. The danger periods are from 8 to 10 a.m., from 6 to 8 p.m. and from 10 p.m. until midnight.

Your entire day may be affected by your success or failure to control your emotions. Your facial expression will reflect your feelings, unless you make an effort to conceal them. Personality will play a most important part in your business and social affairs on this date. A clean mind filled with wholesome, constructive thoughts, is essential for the attaining of gratifying results. Any form of selfishness will be a hindrance in the way of personal accomplishment. On August 16, conditions are conducive for wrongs to be righted, either through the voluntary efforts of those who have committed them, or through some forceful circumstance that will be a compelling factor in the restoration of justice. Married and engaged couples, as well as those passing through the romantic period of courtship, had best not set up any affected claim of being "in the right" in regard to any dispute. They will have to admit their mistakes sooner or later.

If a woman and August 16 is your birthday, false pride can blind you to opportunity. Giving in to the temptation and riding the high horse has caused many women, born on this date, to suffer a painful fall. Probably one of the most im-

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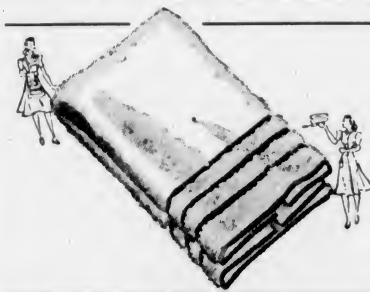
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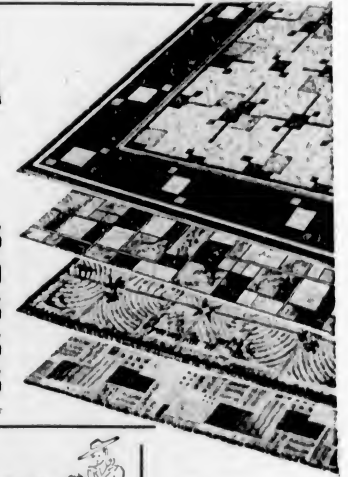
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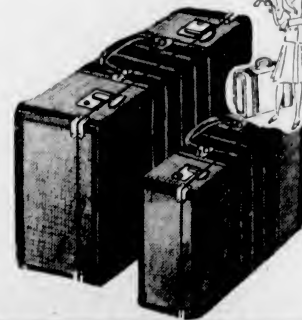
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How It
STARTED

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WHY WE CALL IT "AUGUST"

The Anglo-Saxons called it Wood-

month, weed month; the word

"weed" undoubtedly signified "vege-

table," for this was the month when

vegetables flourished.

The ancient Romans used to call

it Sextilis, the sixth month, for they

dated their year from March.

However, when Augustus Caesar

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